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# Christ Hospital

CINCINNATI, OHIO

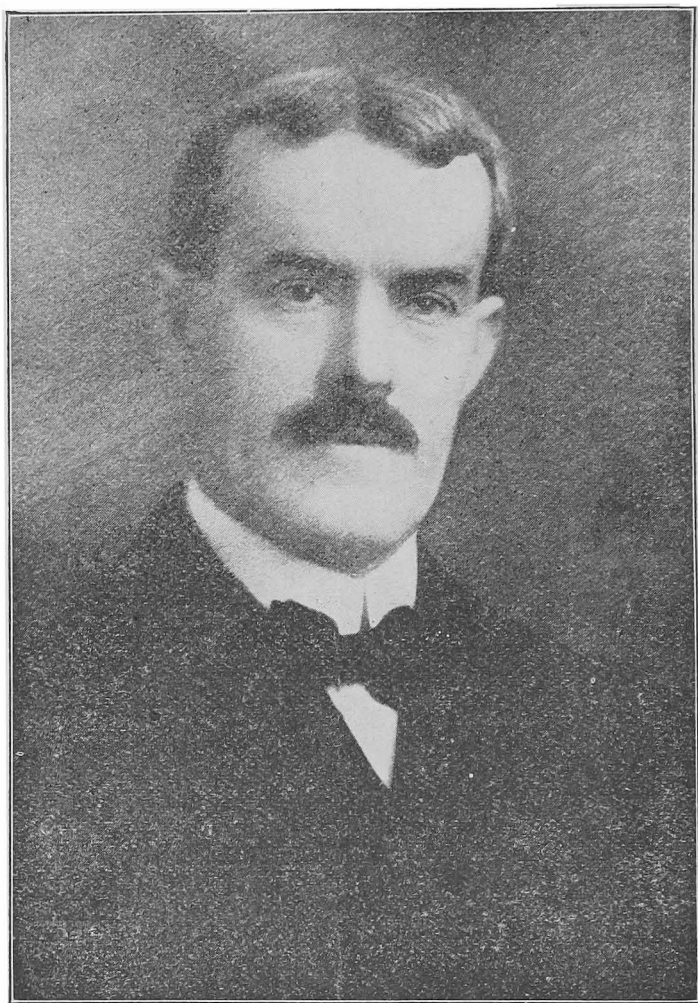
Christ Hospital was opened January, 1889, and occupies a representative position among the charitable institutions of the great city of Cincinnati. It is located at 2139 Auburn Ave., Mount Auburn, just north of the basin of the city. A beautiful new wing is nearing completion, containing fifty-one private rooms for patients, twenty for the administration, with a splendidly equipped kitchen on the top floor. The building is so arranged that each room occupied by patients will receive the rays of the sun sometime during the day. Ample grounds surround the Institution, on which is located also a fine Power House and Electric Plant, a splendidly equipped Nurses Home, and a separate building for children.

When the new building is completed the Hospital will afford accommodations for 200 patients. It is furnished with all modern appliances, and is considered one of the best equipped hospitals of its size in the Middle West. Twelve Deaconesses are connected with the Institution.

Last year 1,671 patients were admitted to the Hospital. 815 were treated but not admitted, making a total of 2,486 cared for. Of this number 1,452 received free treatment. The free and part-pay departments were maintained at a cost of \$20,308.16. Christ Hospital has always been noted for giving many cups of cold water in His name without pay, and the past year has been no exception to the rule.

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3	Ashley, T. B. ....	1912	Bowling Green.....	Bowling Green.
4	Boreing, Amon.....	1867	Louisville.....	Louisville.
5	Bradford, W. G. ....	1881	Augusta.....	Augusta.
6	Bromley, C. A. ....	1915	Barbourville.....	Barbourville.
7	Brown, D. W. ....	1908	Berea.....	Berea.
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11	Carder, L. O. ....	1915	Advance.....	Russell.
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13	Carroll, H. G. ....	1915	Tolesboro.....	Vanceburg.
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15	Childers, W. H. ....	1874	Covington.....	Covington.
16	Cline, Isaiah.....	1894	Augusta.....	Augusta.
17	Conrey, T. H. ....	1887	Irvington.....	Irvington.
18	Cooper, H. D. ....	1907	Dayton.....	Dayton.
19	Crain, W. H. ....	1887	Butler.....	Butler.
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21	Davis, A. H. ....	1896	Covington.....	Covington.
22	Dover, J. G.....	1885	Bellevue.....	Bellevue.
23	Dunkum, W. B. ....	1914	Earlington.....	Earlington.
24	Felts, A. F.....	1896	Maysville.....	Maysville.
25	Godbey, John*.....	1866	Science Hill.....	Science Hill.
26	Godbey, L. R. ....	1890	Science Hill.....	Science Hill.
27	Godbey, A. S. ....	1909	College Hill.....	Richmond.
28	Haggard, J. D. ....	1905	Greenup.....	Greenup.
29	Hall, E. P. ....	1909	Covington.....	Covington.
30	Harper, R. T. ....	1907	No Creek.....	No Creek.
31	Harrop, F. W. ....	1890	Harlan.....	Harlan.
32	Hill, E. B. ....	1876	Vanceburg.....	Vanceburg.
33	Hopkins, J. F.....	1894	Cold Spring.....	Newport.
34	Howes, J. R. ....	1886	Mt. Olivet.....	Mt. Olivet.
35	Hunt, S. K. ....	1912	Hardinsburg.....	Hardinsburg.
36	Hunt, W. R.*.....	1909	Owensboro.....	Owensboro.
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38	Jones, William.....	1888	Ludlow.....	Ludlow.
39	Jones, J. B. ....	1907	Hickory Grove.....	College Hill.
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41	Kelley, F. T. ....	1897	Russell.....	Russell.
42	Kerr, D. F.....	1882	Tampa, Fla.....	Tampa, Fla.
43	Lennin, J. H.*.....	1859	Hardinsburg.....	Hardinsburg.
44	Lewis, J. F. ....	1913	Newport.....	Newport.
45	Litteral, J. M. ....	1908	Maysville.....	Maysville.
46	Martin, J. T. ....	1909	Middlesboro.....	Middlesboro.
47	Melear, J. M.....	1910	Lexington.....	Lexington.
48	Miller, O. W.....	1915	Cincinnati.....	Cincinnati.
49	Mitchell, Chas.....	1912	Bowling Green.....	Bowling Green.
50	Moore, Chas. C....	1911	Middleburg.....	Middleburg.

\* Absent.

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53	Munsey, W. H. ....	1907	Fullerton. ....	Fullerton.
54	Northcutt, H. C. ....	1866	Newport. ....	Newport.
55	Oliver, J. M.*. ....	1877	Alden, Kansas. ....	Alden, Kansas.
56	Overley, E. R. ....	1908	Covington. ....	Covington.
57	Perryman, J. B.*. ....	1888	Hopkinsville. ....	Hopkinsville.
58	Ragan, J. G. ....	1887	Nicholasville. ....	Nicholasville.
59	Ragan, O. G. ....	1904	Lexington. ....	Lexington.
60	Rifle, Cyrus. ....	1884	Portsmouth, O. ....	Portsmouth, O.
61	Roundtree, M. M. ....	1890	Belleville. ....	Belleville.
62	Rowe, A. Wade. ....	1915	Pikeville. ....	Pikeville.
63	Seifert, H. W. ....	1913	Louisville. ....	Louisville.
64	Shepard, E. L. ....	1870	Louisville. ....	Louisville.
65	Shepherd, W. W. ....	1905	Corbin. ....	Corbin.
66	Stotler, T. L. ....	1914	Wallingford. ....	Wallingford.
67	Stratton, T. B. ....	1884	Covington. ....	Covington.
68	Stump, C. T. ....	1890	Gray. ....	Gray.
69	Stewart, W. C. ....	1911	Cynthiana. ....	Cynthiana.
70	Tabor, J. M.*. ....	1912	.....	.....
71	Trent, H. W. ....	1913	Ashland. ....	Ashland.
72	Walsh, J. D. ....	1869	Chattanooga, Tenn. ....	Chattanooga, Tenn.
73	Wardrip, S. B.*. ....	1893	Utica, R. D. No. 1..	.....
74	Wesley, Eli. ....	1900	No Creek. ....	.....
75	Williams, J. A. ....	1912	Bethel Ridge. ....	Ashland.
76	Willis, V. T. ....	1877	Somerset. ....	Somerset.
77	Wilson, A. P.*. ....	1904	Himyar. ....	Barbourville.
78	Wykoff, W. F. ....	1912	Louisville. ....	Louisville.
79	Young, N. H. ....	1896	Louisa. ....	Louisa.
80	Zimmerman, J. W. ....	1866	Dayton. ....	Dayton.
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2	Burton, John L. ....	1915	Beaver Dam. ....	Beaver Dam.
3	Chapman, S. C. ....	1915	Burning Springs. ....	Burning Springs.
4	Combs, Madison. ....	1911	Science Hill. ....	Science Hill.
5	Criswell, Robt. M. ....	1914	Scottsville. ....	Scottsville.
6	Earley, Emsley N. ....	1915	Barbourville. ....	Barbourville.
7	Firestone, S. M. ....	1915	London. ....	London.
8	Godbey, Luther C. ....	1912	Vanceburg. ....	Vanceburg.
9	Gregory, Wm. F. ....	1914	Barbourville. ....	Barbourville.
10	Grenfell, Thos. ....	1915	Catlettsburg. ....	Catlettsburg.
11	Hamilton, A. W. ....	1915	Olive Hill. ....	Olive Hill.
12	Hines, Albert S. ....	1915	Onton. ....	Onton.
13	Hughes, Willis A. ....	1915	.....	.....
14	Insko, Allie W. ....	1915	Saylersville. ....	Saylersville.
15	Landreth, Henry W. ....	1914	Deer Lick. ....	Deer Lick.
16	Landrum, Jesse C. ....	1915	Hopkinsville. ....	Hopkinsville.
17	McKellup, Alfred H. ....	1914	Louisville. ....	Louisville.
18	Phillips, Jas. A. ....	1915	West View. ....	West View.
19	Ruggles, John F. ....	1914	Germantown. ....	Germantown.

\*Absent.

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Covington, Ky., September 7, 1915.

The Reports and Proceedings herewith published were presented in due form, according to the Discipline, in open Conference, and were adopted by the Kentucky Annual Conference as its official work at its session held in Covington, Ky., September 1-6, 1915.

By action of the Conference, these printed Minutes, together with all the reports, were made the Official Record of its proceedings.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "A. H. Leete".

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A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "S. J. Carter".

Secretary.

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	WORK OF CLASS.	WORK OF CLASS.	WORK OF CLASS.	WORK OF CLASS.	WORK OF CLASS.
	9. Elementary English. 5. Principles of Rhetoric. 10. General History. 8. Written Sermon.  TO BE READ. 8. The Heart of John Wesley's Journal. 8. The Tongue of Fire.	2. Jesus and the Gospels. 1. Preparation and Delivery of Sermons.  TO BE READ. 8. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I, i-xxxiii. 8. Christian View of the Old Testament. 8. Written Sermon.	2. Biblical Hermeneutics. 6. The Bible, its Origin and Nature. 1. How We Think.  TO BE READ. 8. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I, xxxiv-lviii. 8. History of Methodism, Vol. I. 8. St. Paul the Traveler.	4. System of Christian Doctrine. 12. History of the Christian Church.  TO BE READ. 8. Fellowship in the Life Eternal. 8. The Indwelling Spirit.	4. System of Christian Doctrine. 3. Theism.  TO BE READ. 8. Place of Christ in Modern Theology or The Historic Christ in the Faith of Today. 8. History of Methodism, Vol. III.

February to May.	13. The Worker and His Bible. 14. History and Exposition of the Twenty-five Articles of Religion of the Methodist Episcopal Church. 2. Discipline of the M. E. Church for 1912. TO BE READ. 8. The Learning Process. 8. Every day Evangelism, or Letters on Evangelism.	3. American History. 12. Winning the Fight against Drink. TO BE READ. 8. The Heart of Asbury's Journal. 8. Christian Nurture or Elements of Religious Pedagogy. 8. Extemporaneous Oratory.	5. The Graded Sunday School in Principle and Practice. 13. The Light of the World. 11. Decisive Hour of Christian Missions. TO BE READ. 8. Methodism and the Republic. 8. Christianity and the Social Crisis.	9. The Fact of Conversion. 14. Sacerdotalism in the Nineteenth Century. TO BE READ. 8. The Christian Faith. 8. Governing Conference in Methodism.	7. Christian Ethics. 1. Principles of Literary Criticism. 6. Prophecy and the Prophets. TO BE READ. 8. Historical Geography of the Holy Land. 8. Lectures on Preaching. 8. Hymn Studies.
May to September.	1. Life of John Wesley. 4. Organizing and Building the Sunday School. TO BE READ. 8. Plain Account of Christian Perfection. 8. The Pastor-Preacher.	7. Digest of Methodist Law. 11. English Style in Public Discourse. TO BE READ. 8. The Present South. 8. Jesus Christ and the Social Question. 8. The Methodist Review.	8. Essay. TO BE READ. 8. The Resurrection of Jesus or the Fact of Christ. 8. The Methodist Review.	1. The New Basis of Civilization. 8. Written Sermon. TO BE READ. 8. History of Methodism, Vol. II. 8. Social Message of the Modern Pulpit or Social Solutions. 8. The Methodist Review.	10. The Social Engineer. 8. Essay or Synopsis of the Psychology of the Christian Soul. TO BE READ. 8. Pastoral and Personal Evangelism. 8. Constitutional History. 8. The Methodist Review.

The directions to be observed by Examiners and students are as follows:

1. The numbers 1, 2, etc., indicate the division of work among the Examiners.

2. Examiners and students must be prepared on every subject within its own period. The student, when fully ready, not before, will notify the Examiner, who shall have his questions (not fewer than 10 nor more than 25) written out beforehand.

3. The answers should be written by the student in the presence of the Examiner alone, who should afford no help himself, nor allow any to be derived from any other source whatever, whether of person or of printed or written matter.

4. When impossible for the Examiner to be with the student, he may send the questions, under seal, to a third person, *a member of the Conference*. He should direct, by postal card, two or three days beforehand, by way of precaution, and again on the back of the envelope containing the questions, that the envelope is not to be opened, nor allowed out of the possession of the third person, till the student is ready to answer the questions. Inclosed with the questions should be a certificate to be signed by the third person when the student has completed his work,

showing that no help whatever was afforded the student. Any substantial departure from these directions should vitiate the examination.

5. As soon as the papers are received and graded by the Examiner, he will notify both the student and G. N. Jolly, Registrar of the Board, the result. The minimum grade for passing shall be 70.

6. On the back of every written sermon or essay there should be a statement, signed by the person presenting it, that the conception, composition, and handwriting are his own work.

7. The grading on sermons or essays will hereafter be on the same scale (from 0 to 100) as on books to be studied, with 70 as the minimum grade for passing, in the books to be read the student shall certify to the Examiner that he has read the books.

8. Candidates for local orders, when it is impracticable for them to be examined previously, will be examined on the day before Conference convenes, beginning at 9 o'clock.

9. All examinations must be in the candidate's own handwriting.

10. Except in extreme cases, and for highly satisfactory reasons, no examination will take place after Conference has convened.

F. W. HARROP, CHAIRMAN.

G. N. JOLLY, REGISTRAR.



# SESSIONS OF KENTUCKY CONFERENCE.

	YEAR	SEAT.	PRESIDENT.	SECRETARY.
1	1821	Lexington . . . . .	E. George . . . . .	W. Adams.
2	1822	Lexington . . . . .	E. George . . . . .	W. Adams.
3	1823	Maysville . . . . .	E. George . . . . .	W. Adams.
4	1824	Shelbyville . . . . .	R. R. Roberts . . . . .	W. Adams.
5	1825	Russellville . . . . .	R. R. Roberts . . . . .	R. D. Neall.
6	1826	Louisville . . . . .	J. Soule . . . . .	W. Adams.
7	1827	Versailles . . . . .	J. Soule . . . . .	W. Adams.
8	1828	Shelbyville . . . . .	J. Soule . . . . .	W. Adams.
9	1829	Lexington . . . . .	R. R. Roberts . . . . .	W. Adams.
10	1830	Russellville . . . . .	J. Soule . . . . .	W. Adams.
11	1831	Louisville . . . . .	E. Hedding . . . . .	W. Adams.
12	1832	Harrodsburg . . . . .	J. Emory . . . . .	W. Adams.
13	1833	Greensburg . . . . .	R. R. Roberts . . . . .	W. Adams.
14	1834	Mt. Sterling . . . . .	J. Soule . . . . .	W. Adams.
15	1835	Shelbyville . . . . .	J. O. Andrews . . . . .	W. Phillips.
16	1836	Louisville . . . . .	J. Soule . . . . .	G. McNeeley.
17	1837	Frankfort . . . . .	R. R. Roberts . . . . .	G. McNeeley.
18	1838	Danville . . . . .	B. Waugh . . . . .	G. McNeeley.
19	1839	Russellville . . . . .	J. Soule . . . . .	T. N. Ralston.
20	1840	Bardstown . . . . .	Thomas A. Morris . . . . .	T. N. Ralston.
21	1841	Maysville . . . . .	J. Stamper . . . . .	T. N. Ralston.
22	1842	Lexington . . . . .	B. Waugh . . . . .	T. N. Ralston.
23	1843	Louisville . . . . .	Thomas A. Morris . . . . .	T. N. Ralston.
24	1844	Bowling Green . . . . .	E. S. Janes . . . . .	T. N. Ralston.
25	1845	Frankfort . . . . .	J. Soule . . . . .	T. N. Ralston.
26	1853	Covington . . . . .	E. S. Janes . . . . .	J. M. Gatch.
27	1854	Germantown . . . . .	Levi Scott . . . . .	J. M. Gatch.
28	1855	Maysville . . . . .	Thomas A. Morris . . . . .	J. M. Gatch.
29	1856	Wesley Chapel, Ohio County	E. R. Ames . . . . .	S. F. Conrey.
30	1857	Augusta . . . . .	M. Simpson . . . . .	S. F. Conrey.
31	1858	Covington . . . . .	Thomas A. Morris . . . . .	S. F. Conrey.
32	1859	Alexandria . . . . .	Thomas A. Morris . . . . .	S. F. Conrey.
33	1860	Germantown . . . . .	M. Simpson . . . . .	S. F. Conrey.
34	1861	Maysville . . . . .	E. R. Ames . . . . .	S. F. Conrey.
35	1862	Asbury Chapel . . . . .	Levi Scott . . . . .	S. M. Merrill.
36	1863	Covington . . . . .	Thomas A. Morris . . . . .	S. M. Merrill.
37	1864	Augusta . . . . .	M. Simpson . . . . .	G. W. Johnson.
38	1865	Newport . . . . .	Thomas A. Morris . . . . .	G. W. Johnson.
39	1866	Covington . . . . .	D. W. Clark . . . . .	G. W. Johnson.
40	1867	Lexington . . . . .	E. Thomson . . . . .	G. W. Johnson.
41	1868	Newport . . . . .	C. Kingsley . . . . .	G. W. Johnson.
42	1869	Harrodsburg . . . . .	Levi Scott . . . . .	D. Stevenson.
43	1870	Maysville . . . . .	E. Thomson . . . . .	D. Stevenson.
44	1871	Louisville . . . . .	D. W. Clark . . . . .	D. Stevenson.
45	1872	Covington . . . . .	Levi Scott . . . . .	B. A. Stubbins.
46	1873	Lexington . . . . .	I. W. Wiley . . . . .	B. A. Stubbins.
47	1874	Covington . . . . .	S. M. Merrill . . . . .	B. A. Stubbins.
48	1875	Louisville . . . . .	R. S. Foster . . . . .	Duke Slavens.
49	1876	Newport . . . . .	I. W. Wiley . . . . .	Duke Slavens.
50	1877	Lexington . . . . .	Thomas Bowman . . . . .	J. W. Muse.
51	1878	Covington . . . . .	Jesse T. Peck . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
52	1879	Somerset . . . . .	Levi Scott . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
53	1880	Danville . . . . .	M. Simpson . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
54	1880	Hardinsburg . . . . .	E. O. Haven . . . . .	B. A. Stubbins.
55	1881	Maysville . . . . .	S. M. Merrill . . . . .	B. A. Stubbins.
56	1882	Louisville . . . . .	E. G. Andrews . . . . .	C. J. Howes.
57	1883	Barbourville . . . . .	R. S. Foster . . . . .	C. J. Howes.
58	1884	Catlettsburg . . . . .	J. M. Walden . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
59	1885	Covington . . . . .	W. L. Harris . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
60	1886	Lexington . . . . .	C. D. Foss . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
61	1887	Greenup . . . . .	E. G. Andrews . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
62	1888	Louisville . . . . .	J. H. Vincent . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
63	1889	Ashland . . . . .	S. M. Merrill . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
64	1890	Barbourville . . . . .	W. F. Mallalieu . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
65	1891	Newport . . . . .	R. S. Foster . . . . .	Thomas Hanford.
66	1892	Louisa . . . . .	C. D. Foss . . . . .	Thomas Hanford.
67	1893	Hardinsburg . . . . .	H. W. Warren . . . . .	Thomas Hanford.
68	1894	Louisville . . . . .	S. M. Merrill . . . . .	Thomas Hanford.

## SESSIONS OF KENTUCKY CONFERENCE—Continued

	YEAR	SEAT.	PRESIDENT.	SECRETARY.
69	1895	Covington . . . . .	C. D. Foss . . . . .	Thomas Hanford.
70	1896	Vanceburg. . . . .	John F. Hurst . . . . .	Daniel Stevenson.
71	1897	Pineville. . . . .	W. F. Mallalieu . . . . .	Thomas Hanford.
72	1898	Maysville . . . . .	W. X. Ninde . . . . .	E. L. Shepard.
73	1899	Newport . . . . .	J. N. FitzGerald . . . . .	J. D. Walsh.
74	1900	Somerset . . . . .	Earl Cranston . . . . .	D. P. Holt.
75	1901	Ashland . . . . .	E. G. Andrews . . . . .	F. W. Harrop.
76	1902	Louisville . . . . .	J. M. Walden . . . . .	F. W. Harrop.
77	1903	Covington . . . . .	I. W. Joyce . . . . .	E. L. Shepard.
78	1904	Barbourville . . . . .	H. W. Warren . . . . .	E. L. Shepard.
79	1905	Lexington . . . . .	D. A. Goodsell . . . . .	E. L. Shepard.
80	1906	Greenup . . . . .	W. F. McDowell . . . . .	G. N. Jolly.
81	1907	Louisville . . . . .	Henry Spellmeyer . . . . .	G. N. Jolly.
82	1908	Barbourville . . . . .	David H. Moore . . . . .	G. N. Jolly.
83	1909	Maysville . . . . .	L. B. Wilson . . . . .	G. N. Jolly.
84	1910	Paintsville . . . . .	H. W. Warren . . . . .	G. N. Jolly.
85	1911	Newport, . . . . .	David H. Moore, . . . . .	G. W. Bunton.
86	1912	Barbourville, . . . . .	Wilbur P. Thirkield, . . . . .	G. W. Bunton.
87	1913	Ashland . . . . .	W. F. Anderson . . . . .	G. W. Bunton.
88	1914	Covington . . . . .	F. D. Leete . . . . .	G. W. Bunton.
89	1915	Covington . . . . .	F. D. Leete . . . . .	O. J. Carder.

## Disciplinary Questions.

**1. *Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirements of the Discipline?***

Yes.

**2. *Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?***

C. W. Barnes and W. H. Spybey, from West Ohio Conference; C. A. Bromley, from Illinois Conference.

**3. *Who have been Readmitted?***

None.

**4. *Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?***

None.

**5. *Who have been Received on Trial?***

(a) IN STUDIES OF FIRST YEAR: Allie W. Insko, Elijah F. Burnsides, Emsley N. Earley, Sheridan C. Chapman, Samuel M. Firestone, James A. Phillips, Jesse C. Landrum, Thomas Grenfell, Murphy Hill, Willis A. Hughes, Albert S. Hines, Augustus W. Hamilton, John L. Burton.

(b) IN STUDIES OF THIRD YEAR: None.

**6. *Who have been Continued on Trial?***

(a) IN STUDIES OF FIRST YEAR: None.

(b) IN STUDIES OF SECOND YEAR: Robert M. Criswell, Madison Combs, William F. Gregory, Henry W. Landreth, Alfred H. McKellup, John F. Ruggles.

(c) IN STUDIES OF THIRD YEAR: None.

(d) IN STUDIES OF FOURTH YEAR: None.

**7. *Who have been Discontinued?***

None.

**8. *Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?***

(a) ELECTED AND ORDAINED DEACONS THIS YEAR: Lemuel O. Carder, Herbert G. Carroll, Oscar W. Miller, A. Wade Rowe, Howard E. Trent.

(b) ELECTED AND ORDAINED DEACONS PREVIOUSLY: Tony M. Anderson, Luther C. Godbey.

**9. *What Members are in Studies of Third Year?***

(a) ADMITTED INTO FULL MEMBERSHIP THIS YEAR: Lemuel O. Carder, Herbert G. Carroll, Oscar W. Miller, A. Wade Rowe, Howard E. Trent.

(b) ADMITTED INTO FULL MEMBERSHIP PREVIOUSLY: James A. Williams.

**10. *What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?***

Thomas B. Ashley, Walter B. Dunkum, Samuel K. Hunt, Charles Mitchell, Talmage R. Stotler.

**11.** *What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?*

(a) ELECTED AND ORDAINED ELDERS THIS YEAR: Harry W. Seifert, Wert C. Stewart, Anderson C. Wilson.

(b) ELECTED AND ORDAINED ELDERS PREVIOUSLY: None.

**12.** *What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?*

(a) AS LOCAL PREACHERS: Frank M. Pointz, Kellogg Smith.

(b) UNDER MISSIONARY RULE: None.

(c) UNDER SEMINARY RULE: None.

**13.** *What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?*

(a) AS LOCAL DEACONS: J. H. Craig.

(b) UNDER MISSIONARY RULE: None.

(c) UNDER SEMINARY RULE: None.

**14.** *Was the Character of each Preacher examined?*

Yes; this was done in open Conference.

**15.** *Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?*

Geo. W. Bunton, to West Ohio Conference; C. B. Plummer, to Ohio Conference; W. F. Taylor, to West Ohio Conference.

**16.** *Who have Died?*

Thomas Hanford, Bird Hughes, Joshua S. Taylor.

**17.** *Who have been Located at their own Request?*

None.

**18.** *Who have been Located?*

None.

**19.** *Who have Withdrawn?*

Life E. Williams.

**20.** *Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?*

None.

**21.** *Who have been Expelled?*

None.

**22.** *What other personal Notation should be made?*

Thomas Shumate was granted Local Deacon's orders.

Local Deacon's orders of John S. Sanders and Frank C. Soper, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, recognized.

**23.** *Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation?*

M. M. Ronudtree, 3; J. M. Tabor, 3; S. B. Wardrip, 3; Eli G. Wesley, 1; R. T. Moores, 1; J. U. Browne, 1; Samuel Linge, 1.

**24.** *Who are the Retired Ministers?*

Amon Boreing, W. G. Bradford, W. H. Childers, W. H. Crain, John Godbey, W. R. Hunt, S. F. Kelley, D. F. Kerr, J. H. Lennin, H. C. Northcott, J. M. Oliver, J. B. Perryman, Cyrus Riffle, C. T. Stump, J. D. Walsh, V. T. Willis, J. W. Zimmerman.

25. *Who are the Triers of Appeals?*  
Isaiah Cline, F. T. Kelley, J. F. Hopkins, J. W. Cantrell, J. M. Melear.  
Alternates, W. F. Wykoff, E. P. Hall.
26. *What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?*  
\$1,368.
27. *What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?*  
\$3,154.
28. *What is the Statistical Report?*  
See the Statistician's Report.
29. *What is the Conference Treasurer's Report?*  
See the Conference Treasurer's Report.
30. *What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?*  
\$11,787.
31. *What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?*  
\$4,790.
32. *What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?*  
\$4,245. See Report of Conference Stewards.
33. *What is the Five Per Cent of the amount raised for the Support of Conference Claimants, and paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connectional Relief?*  
\$37.
34. *What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants?*  
\$1,000.
35. *Where are the Preachers Stationed?*  
See List of Appointments.
36. *Where shall the Next Conference be held?*  
Berea, Kentucky.

# Official Journal.

## DAILY PROCEEDINGS.

### FIRST DAY.

September 1, 1915.

The eighty-ninth session of the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened in Union Methodist Episcopal Church, Covington, September 1, 1915, Bishop F. D. Leete, D.D., LL.D., presiding. At 9:00 A. M. the Conference was called to order. Hymn No. 415, "Faith of Our Fathers," was sung, after which the Bishop gave an illuminating and encouraging address on the work of our church in the South.

**Sacrament.**—The Bishop, assisted by Dr. J. B. Hingeley, the local pastor, and District Superintendents, administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper to one hundred and fifteen communicants, the retired preachers of the Conference being first invited to the altar.

**Roll Call.**—The Secretary of the last session of the Conference called the roll of membership, and sixty-four members and twelve probationers responded to their names. While the Conference stood, the names of the following who have died during the year were called: Thomas Hanford, Bird Hughes, Joshua Taylor, Mrs. Jasper Fields, Mrs. J. S. Cox, and Mrs. Cyrus Riffle. J. D. Walsh offered an appropriate prayer for blessings upon the bereaved homes of the Conference.

**Organization.**—G. W. Bunton was nominated for reelection for Secretary, but for cause declined the nomination, after which the following officers were elected: O. J. Carder, Secretary; E. R. Overley, G. W. Bunton, and A. H. Davis, assistants; W. H. Davenport, Statistician; Isaiah Cline, J. M. Litteral, Howard Trent, W. H. Munsey, A. F. Felts, and L. O. Carder, assistants; F. W. Harrop, Treasurer; W. W. Shepherd, T. B. Ashley, and W. C. Stewart, assistants.

**Methodist Review.**—N. H. Young was elected to canvass for the Methodist Review.

**Conference Bar.**—On motion of J. D. Walsh, the Conference bar was made to include the first six seats from the chancel.

**Resolution Concerning Bishop Leete.**—J. H. Anderson presented the following resolution, which was adopted by a standing vote:

According to the plan of Episcopal Visitation, and upon the invitation of our Resident Bishop Anderson, our esteemed Bishop F. D. Leete has been returned as president of this Annual Conference. Be it

Resolved, That we extend to him our most hearty welcome and pray God's guidance and blessing to richly rest upon him and the whole Conference during this session.

**Resolution Concerning Bishop Anderson.**—J. M. Melear Presented the following, which was adopted by a rising vote:

Resolved, That we send loving salutation and best wishes to Bishop W. F. Anderson, D.D., LL.D., who is now presiding over the session of the West Ohio Conference. We gladly record our sincere appreciation of his tireless activity and discerning judgment, which have given him an intimate knowledge of his territory, where he has administered with a statesman's vision, an eager passion, and a brother's heart.

We beg to assure him it is our heartfelt wish and prayerful desire that he be assigned to the Cincinnati area for the approaching quadrennium, and we hereby most earnestly and respectfully petition the General Conference for his return.

**Official Program.**—On motion of G. W. Bunton, the printed program was made the official order of the Conference business, the time of session being fixed from 9:00 A. M. to 12:15 P. M.

**Dr. Hingeley Introduced.**—Dr. J. B. Hingeley, Secretary of the Board of Conference Claimants, was introduced, and spoke to the interests of that cause, and presented a draft for two hundred dollars from this Board. On motion of G. N. Jolly, it was accepted with thanks, and placed in the hands of the Conference Treasurer.

**Memorial Service.**—In the absence of Dr. Boreing, J. D. Walsh was invited to preside over the Memorial Service. After the singing of a hymn, Bishop Leete offered prayer. Isaiah

Cline read the memoir of Thomas Hanford, John R. Howes read the memoir of Bird Hughes, C. C. Moore read the memoir of Mrs. Joshua S. Taylor, J. F. Hopkins read the memoir of Mrs. Jasper Fields, E. L. Shepard read the memoir of Mrs. J. S. Cox, and J. D. Haggard read the memoir of Mrs. Cyrus Riffle.

**R. T. Miller.**—Upon special request, Hon. E. E. Shipley, of Cincinnati, read the eulogy of Mr. R. T. Miller, a noted layman of the Kentucky Conference and World Methodism, which was read before the Book Committee in San Francisco. Through the courtesy of the Book Concern, a printed copy of this address was presented to the members of the Conference.

On motion of E. L. Shepard, the Conference stood in silence for a few moments, after which was sung "There's a Land that is Fairer than Day." (See Memoirs.)

**Conference Committees.**—O. G. Ragan, representing the Cabinet, nominated the Conference committees. They were confirmed by vote of the Conference. (See list.)

**Postmaster.**—On motion of G. W. Bunton, W. W. Shepherd was elected Conference Postmaster.

**Adjournment.**—The announcements were made, and the morning session adjourned with the doxology and the benediction pronounced by Bishop Leete.

### Afternoon Session.

**Statistical Session.**—The statistical session was called to order at 2:15 P. M., with William Jones in the chair. Hymn No. 1 was sung, and N. H. Young offered prayer. The Statistician received reports.

**Adjournment.**—On motion of J. D. Walsh, the session adjourned.

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## SECOND DAY.

Thursday, September 2, 1915.

**Devotions.**—The Conference convened at 9:00 A. M., with Bishop Leete in the chair. Hymn No. 1 was sung, after which Dr. Ward Platt and William Jones offered prayer. Hymn No. 208 was sung, and the Bishop addressed the Conference on "Ministerial Efficiency," and offered prayer.



**Journal.**—The journal of yesterday's sessions was read and approved.

**C. C. Moore Excused.**—C. C. Moore was excused from further attendance upon the Conference session to return home on account of sickness in the family.

**Election of Delegates.**—On motion of G. N. Jolly, the time for the election of General Conference delegates was fixed for ten o'clock Friday morning.

**Conference Claimants.**—F. W. Harrop presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Conference Claimants has justified its right to the confidence and full support of the Church; and,

Whereas, the present method of support provides for its expenses and dividends by taking five per cent contributed by pastoral charges for the support of their Conference claimants and applying it to connectional uses, thereby making retired ministers and other claimants finance the connectional work in their behalf; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the General Conference be memorialized to place the Board of Conference Claimants on the budget of the Benevolent Boards, as determined by the Commission on Finance, in the same way as the other Benevolent Boards, and to abolish the so-called Conference percentages.

**Course of Study.**—The following resolution, presented by J. M. Litteral, was adopted:

Whereas, American history is taught in all our public schools below the eighth grade and general history is taught only in the high school or college; and,

Whereas, All the young men entering the ministry have had American history and some have not studied general history; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Kentucky Annual Conference request the Board of Bishops that arranges the Course of Study to require American History as well as General History as necessary for entrance to the Conference on trial.

**Character Passed.**—The Fourteenth Disciplinary Question, "Was the character of each preacher examined?" was called. The following District Superintendents were called, the character of each was passed, and they reported the work committed to their care: J. G. Dover, Covington District; C. B. Plummer, Ashland District; O. G. Ragan, Lexington District; and E. L. Shepard, Louisville District.

**Purse Presentation.**—In a very appropriate address, W. F. Taylor presented a purse to J. G. Dover, retiring Superintendent of the Covington District, the expression of appreciation on the part of the pastors of the District.

**Nominating Committee.**—On motion of J. D. Walsh, the following committee was appointed by the Bishop to nominate members to fill vacancies on the Board of Education of the Conference: F. W. Harrop, J. D. Walsh, J. M. Litteral, F. T. Kelley, W. W. Shepherd, J. M. Melear, A. H. Davis, T. B. Stratton, and J. H. Anderson.

**General Conference Memorials.**—On behalf of the cabinet, J. G. Dover named the following Committee on General Conference Memorials: F. T. Kelley, E. B. Hill, E. P. Hall, Isaiah Cline, A. H. Davis, J. M. Melear, J. W. Cantrell, and T. B. Ashley. The report was approved.

**Dr. Ward Platt Introduced.**—Dr. Ward Platt, of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

**Dr. John H. Race.**—Dr. J. H. Race, Publishing Agent of The Methodist Book Concern in Cincinnati, was introduced, and presented a draft for \$1,295 from the dividends of the Book Concern, which was received with applause and was placed in the hands of the Conference Treasurer.

**Dr. Wareing Introduced.**—Dr. Ernest Wareing, Associate Editor of the Western Christian Advocate, was introduced, and spoke to the interest of that religious journal.

**Dr. L. L. Pickett Introduced.**—Dr. L. L. Pickett was introduced, and addressed the Conference upon the temperance issues and outlook in Kentucky.

**Dr. George Elliott.**—Dr. George Elliott, of the Detroit Conference, speaker for the Preachers' Relief Association Anniversary, was introduced to the Conference.

**Adjournment.**—The announcements were made, the doxology was sung, and the session closed with the benediction by Dr. Elliott.

**THIRD DAY.**

September 3, 1915.

**Devotions.**—The Conference was called to order at 9:00 A. M. Hymn No. 544 was sung, after which Isaiah Cline and J. M. Melear led in prayer. Hymn No. 393 was sung, and the Bishop delivered an address upon the theme, "Preaching the Word." Hymn No. 463 was sung, closing the devotional hour.

**Journal.**—The journal of yesterday's session was read and approved.

**Fraternal Greetings.**—On motion of G. W. Bunton, the Secretary was directed to send a message of greeting to the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, now in session at Millersburg.

**Full Membership.**—The Eighth Disciplinary Question, "Who have been admitted into full membership?" was asked. Lemuel O. Carder, Herbert G. Carroll, Luther C. Godbey, Oscar W. Miller, A. Wade Rowe, Howard E. Trent, Life E. Williams, and Tony M. Anderson were called, their characters passed, their grades reported, and, upon recommendation from the Committee on Conference Relations and District Superintendents, they were admitted into full membership in the Conference, conditioned upon answering the Disciplinary Questions in ¶ 159; and they were advanced to the Studies of the Third Year.

**Nominating Committee.**—On motion of W. F. Wykoff, the Nominating Committee for members of the Board of Education were directed to add the names of three more ministers and two more laymen to the list of nominations.

**Resignation.**—G. W. Bunton presented verbally his resignation from membership upon the Board of Education of the Conference. On motion, it was accepted.

**General Conference Delegates.**—On motion of J. D. Walsh, the following was adopted:

"In the election of two delegates to the General Conference two names—no more, no less—shall be placed upon each ballot. A majority shall be required for an election. If more than two shall receive a majority vote, then the two receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected."

**Tellers Appointed.**—On motion of W. F. Wykoff, the Chair appointed W. H. Davenport, Isaiah Cline, G. N. Jolly, and T. B. Stratton as tellers for the election. The Secretary appointed G. W. Bunton, one of his assistants, to take charge of the ballots.

**First Ballot.**—The first ballot was spread, resulting in no election. The second ballot was taken, and the tellers retired to count the vote.

**Madison Combs.**—Madison Combs was continued on trial in Studies of the Second Year.

**Continued on Trial.**—The Sixth Disciplinary Question, "Who have been continued on Trial?" was asked. The following were called, their characters passed, their grades were reported, and, on motion, they were continued on trial and advanced to the Studies of the Second Year: Robert M. Criswell, William F. Gregory, Henry W. Landreth, Alfred H. McKellup, and John F. Ruggles.

**Fourth Year Studies.**—The Tenth Disciplinary Question, "Who are in the Studies of the Fourth Year?" was asked. Thomas B. Ashley, Samuel K. Hunt, Walter B. Dunkum, Talmage M. Stotler, and Charles Mitchell were called, their characters passed, their grades reported, and they were advanced to the Studies of the Fourth Year, with the following conditions: Thomas B. Ashley, "Sacerdotalism;" S. K. Hunt, "History of the Christian Church," "Sacerdotalism," and "Written Sermon."

**J. A. Williams Continued.**—James A. Williams was called and his character passed, and he was continued in the Studies of the Third Year.

**Result of Ballot.**—The tellers reported the result of the second ballot: there was no election. The third ballot was spread, and the tellers retired.

**Completed Course of Study.**—The Eleventh Disciplinary Question, "What members have completed the Course of Study?" was asked. H. W. Seifert was called, his character passed, and, on motion, he was graduated in the Studies of the Third and Fourth Years, and was elected to Elder's Orders. W. C. Stewart and A. P. Wilson were called, their characters passed, their grades reported, and, on motion, they were graduated in

the Course of Study and elected to Elder's Orders. James B. Jones was called, his character passed, and, on motion, he was continued in the Studies of the Fourth Year.

**Received on Trial.**—The Fifth Disciplinary Question, "Who have been received on trial?" was asked. Allie W. Insko, Elijah F. Burnside, Emsley N. Earley, Sheridan C. Chapman, Samuel M. Firestone, James A. Phillips, and Jesse C. Landrum were called. The Registrar reported their grades, the Committee on Conference Relation and Ministerial Fitness reported favorably, and, on motion of the District Superintendents, they were received on trial and placed in the Studies of the First Year.

**Third Ballot Result.**—The result of the third ballot was announced: there was no election. The fourth ballot was taken.

**Introductions.**—Dr. Edgar Blake, of the Board of Sunday Schools, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

**F. W. Harrop Elected.**—The tellers reported the result of the fourth ballot: F. W. Harrop was elected. The fifth ballot was taken.

**Introductions.**—On motion of the Secretary, the time was extended, and the following were introduced, and represented their work: Dr. G. S. J. Browne, of the American Bible Society; Miss Louisa Litzel, of the Cincinnati Missionary Training School; Dr. N. A. Palmer, of the Anti-Saloon League; and Dr. Martin, of Moores Hill College.

**Adjournment.**—The doxology was sung and, on motion, the session adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Edgar Blake.

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## FOURTH DAY.

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### Morning Session.

September 4, 1915.

**Devotions.**—Conference convened at 9:00 A. M., with Bishop F. D. Leete in the chair. Hymn No. 19 was sung, and John Cheap and Dr. Duncan led in prayer; following prayer, the hymn, "O, happy day that fixed my choice," was sung. The Bishop addressed the Conference upon the theme, "Abase-

ment and Abounding," and offered prayer. The singing of Hymn No. 508 closed the devotions.

**Journal.**—The journal of yesterday's session was read and approved.

**Report of Ballot.**—The result of the fifth ballot was announced: there was no election. The sixth ballot was taken.

**Board of Education.**—The Committee on Nominations for members of the Board of Education presented its nominations. The ballot was spread, and the following were elected: F. W. Harrop, sixth class; E. R. Overley, third class; E. P. Hall, second class; F. T. Kelley, first class; and Hon. J. D. Black, sixth class; J. Harry Richardson, third class.

**Sixth Ballot.**—The report of the sixth ballot was read: there was no election. The seventh ballot was taken.

**Resolution by E. L. Shepard.**—E. L. Shepard presented a resolution concerning the organic union of the two Methodist Episcopal Churches, and, on motion of J. D. Walsh, it was referred to the Committee on Memorials.

**Centerville Church.**—J. G. Dover presented the following resolution, which, on motion of J. D. Walsh, was adopted:

Resolved, That the first available fifty dollars from the Conference Trustees' funds be applied to Centerville Church, in the Covington District of the Kentucky Conference.

**Conference Deaconess Board.**—On motion of F. W. Harrop, the following were elected as members of the Deaconess Board, third-year class: J. R. Howes, J. H. Richardson, and Mrs. L. H. Wilson.

**Asbury Centennial.**—On motion of F. W. Harrop, the Chair appointed a committee of three to arrange a suitable celebration of the centenary of Bishop Asbury's death at the next session of this Annual Conference. The Bishop appointed F. W. Harrop, J. W. Zimmerman, and J. D. Walsh.

**A. P. Wilson Referred.**—On motion of O. G. Ragan, the cases of A. P. Wilson and C. C. Moore were referred to a special committee composed of W. F. Wykoff, F. T. Kelley, J. F. Lewis, J. M. Melear, and G. N. Jolly.

**Seventh Ballot.**—The seventh ballot was reported: no election. The eighth ballot was taken.

**Perfect Ballot.**—On motion of J. D. Walsh, a perfect ballot was required in election of members for the Board of Education.

**Admitted on Trial.**—The following were called, the Registrar reported their grades, and, upon the recommendation of the Committee on Ministerial Fitness and on motion of the District Superintendents, they were admitted to the Conference on trial, and placed in the Studies of the First Year: Thomas Grenfell, Murphy Hill, Willis A. Bugbee, Albert S. Hines, and Augustus W. Hamilton.

**No Election.**—The report of the eighth ballot announced no election. The ninth ballot was taken.

**Personal Notations.**—The Twenty-second Disciplinary Question, "What other personal notations should be made?" was asked. On motion, Thomas Shumate was granted Local Deacon's Orders; and the Local Deacon's Orders of John S. Sanders, from the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and Deacon's Orders of Frank C. Soper, from the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, were recognized.

**Ninth Ballot.**—The result of the ninth ballot showed no election. The tenth ballot was taken.

**Elders Called.**—The list of Effective Elders was called, their characters passed, and they reported their work: J. H. Anderson, D. W. Brown, George W. Bunton, J. W. Cantrell, O. J. Carder, S. M. Carrier, John Cheap, Isaiah Cline, H. D. Cooper, W. H. Davenport, A. H. Davis, J. G. Dover, A. F. Felts, L. R. Godbey, A. S. Godbey, J. D. Haggard, E. P. Hall, R. T. Harper, F. W. Harrop, E. B. Hill, J. F. Hopkins, J. R. Howes, G. N. Jolly, Wm. Jones, F. T. Kelley, J. F. Lewis, J. M. Litteral, J. T. Martin, J. M. Melear, Charles Moore, R. T. Moores, W. H. Morris, W. H. Munsey, E. R. Overley, J. G. Ragan, C. B. Plummer, O. G. Ragan, E. L. Shepard, W. W. Shepherd, Thomas B. Stratton, W. F. Taylor, Eli Wesley, W. F. Wykoff, and N. H. Young.

**E. L. Shepard Elected.**—On the tenth ballot, E. L. Shepard was elected as the second delegate to the General Conference.

**Reserves Elected.**—On the first ballot for Reserve Delegates, O. G. Ragan and J. M. Melear were elected as reserve delegates to the General Conference.

**Elected Deacons.**—On motion of the District Superintendents, Frank W. Pointz and Kellog Smith were elected to Deacon's Orders.

**Bishop's Address to the Class.**—The class for admission into full membership was called, as follows: Tony M. Anderson, Herbert G. Carroll, Oscar W. Miller, A. Wade Rowe, Howard E. Trent, Luther C. Godbey, Life E. Williams, and Lemuel O. Carder. The Bishop gave an incisive and searching address upon the "Work and Qualification for the Ministry," and asked the Disciplinary Questions; and, on motion of G. W. Bunton, they were admitted into full membership by a unanimous rising vote.

**Woman's Suffrage.**—G. W. Bunton presented the following resolution, which, without debate, was adopted. The vote was not unanimous.

1. Resolved, That we urge the Legislature of 1916 to pass a bill submitting the question of woman suffrage to the voters of the State.

2. Resolved, That this body endorse the principle of woman suffrage as one founded on justice and righteousness, and important to the moral development and improvement of our State.

3. Resolved, That every minister who believes in the principle of woman suffrage preach at least once during the year on the subject and direct the attention of his congregation to the justice and value of their further application of the principle of democracy on which our government is founded.

**Introductions.**—The following were introduced, and they spoke upon the interest of their work: Dr. Race, Publishing Agent of The Methodist Book Concern at Cincinnati; Miss Barnes, of the World Outlook; Dr. P. J. Maveety, of the Freedmen's Aid Society; Dr. F. W. Hixson, of the University of Chattanooga; and Dr. Levi Gilbert, editor of the Western Christian Advocate. Dr. Harry W. King, of Moores Hill College, was introduced.

**Adjournment.**—Upon motion, the Conference adjourned, to meet at three o'clock this afternoon. Dr. J. H. Race pronounced the benediction.



### Afternoon Session.

**Devotions.**—Hymns Nos. 457 and 1 were sung, and O. J. Carder offered prayer.

**Disciplinary Questions.**—Disciplinary Questions No. 3, No. 4, and No. 12 were asked, and answered, "None."

**Ordained Elders.**—Question Thirteen, "What others have been elected and ordained Elders? notation (a) As Local Deacons?" was asked. J. H. Craig was called, his grades were reported, and, on motion of E. L. Shepard, he was elected to Elder's Orders as a Local Deacon.

**Character Passed.**—Question Fourteen, "Was the character of each preacher examined?" was asked. Yes; this was done in open Conference.

**McKellup Excused.**—On motion of J. D. Walsh, A. H. McKellup was excused from the afternoon session of the Conference.

**Cantrell's Certificate.**—On motion of J. D. Walsh, the Secretary was directed to issue to J. W. Cantrell a certificate of his ordination as Elder in the year 1901, his credentials having been lost.

**J. B. Jones Passed.**—On motion of E. L. Shepard, J. B. Jones was graduated in the Course of Study and was elected to Elder's Orders. He being absent from the Conference, the Secretary was directed to send him a certificate of this action, that he might present it for ordination elsewhere.

**Supernumeraries.**—Question Twenty-three, "Who are the Supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation?" was asked. The following were called and their characters passed, and they were continued in the same relation: M. M. Roundtree, 3; J. M. Tabor, 3; S. B. Wardrip was referred to the Cabinet. On motion of E. L. Shepard, Eli Wesley was placed upon the list of Supernumeraries. R. T. Moores was given the Supernumerary relation at his own request.

**T. H. Conrey Effective.**—On motion of J. R. Howes for the Committee on Conference Relations, T. H. Conrey was made effective from the Supernumerary relation.

**Report of Investigating Committee.**—The committee in the cases of A. P. Wilson and C. C. Moore reported as follows. (See Reports.) On motion of E. L. Shepard, the report was adopted.

**Retired Ministers.**—"Who are the retired ministers?" was asked. The following were called, their characters passed, and they were continued in the same relation: Amon Boreing, W. G. Bradford, W. H. Childers, W. H. Crain, John Godbey, W. R. Hunt, S. F. Kelley, D. F. Kerr, J. H. Lennin, H. C. Northcott, J. M. Oliver, J. B. Perryman, Cyrus Riffle, C. T. Stump, J. D. Walsh, and V. T. Willis. The following of these were present, and addressed the Conference: Amon Boreing, W. H. Crain, S. F. Kelley, D. F. Kerr, Cyrus Riffle, C. T. Stump, J. D. Walsh, and V. T. Willis. All of these, on motion, were referred to the Board of Stewards.

**J. W. Zimmerman Retired.**—On motion of J. R. Howes for the Committee on Conference Relations, J. W. Zimmerman was taken from the Supernumerary relation and placed on the retired list, and was referred to the Board of Stewards.

**W. H. Childer's Letter.**—On motion of F. W. Harrop, G. W. Bunton was directed to reply to the letter of greeting from W. H. Childers.

**G. W. Bunton Took Chair.**—The Bishop requested G. W. Bunton, D.D., to take the chair, and he retired with the Cabinet.

**Collection.**—On motion of the Secretary, a collection was taken for the janitor, amounting to seven dollars.

**Miss Litzel Introduced.**—Miss Litzel, of the Missionary Training School, was introduced, and spoke concerning her work.

**Moores Hill College.**—On motion of T. B. Stratton, the Chair was requested to appoint a visitor from this Conference to Moores Hill College.

**Adjourned.**—On motion of J. D. Walsh, the session adjourned with the benediction by S. F. Kelley.

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## FIFTH DAY.

Sunday, September 5, 1915.

**Love Feast.**—The annual Love Feast was begun at 9:45 A. M., with J. W. Zimmerman presiding.

**Bishop's Sermon.**—The Annual Conference sermon was preached by Bishop F. D. Leete, D.D., LL.D., at 10:45 A. M., from the text, "Sit thou on my right hand, till I make thine enemies thy footstool." This was a searching, spiritual, and inspiring gospel message concerning the triumphs of Christian faith.

**Missionary Sermon.**—At three o'clock, with A. S. Godbey presiding, the Annual Missionary Service was held. E. R. Overley delivered a strong gospel sermon from the text, "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel."

**Ordination Service.**—At four o'clock Bishop Leete ordained as Deacons the following: L. O. Carder, H. G. Carroll, A. Wade Rowe, H. E. Trent, L. E. Williams, O. W. Miller, F. W. Pointz, and Kellog Smith. Assisted by the Elders, the Bishop ordained as Elders H. W. Seifert, W. C. Stewart, Thomas Davies, Anderson P. Wilson, and James H. Craig.

### Certificate of Ordination.

**This Certifies,** That at Covington, Kentucky, on the fifth day of September, 1915, in accordance with the action of the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, I ordained as Deacons Lemuel O. Carder, Herbert G. Carroll, Oscar W. Miller, A. Wade Rowe, Howard E. Trent, Life E. Williams, Frank M. Pointz, Kellog Smith; and, assisted by the Elders, I ordained as Elders the following: Thomas Davies, Harry W. Seifert, Wert C. Stewart, Anderson P. Wilson, and James H. Craig.



Covington, Ky.

Presiding Bishop.

**SIXTH DAY.**

Monday, September 6, 1915.

**Devotions.**—Conference convened at 9:00 A. M., with Bishop Leete in chair. Hymn No. 19 was sung, and J. M. Litteral offered prayer. "Jesus, lover of my soul," was sung, and T. B. Stratton and W. W. Shepherd prayed. Bishop Leete addressed the Conference upon the theme, "Strengthening the Weak Hands," and offered prayer.

**Journal.**—The journal of Saturday's sessions was read and approved.

**John L. Burton.**—On motion of E. L. Shepard, John L. Burton was admitted on trial, he having met all conditions necessary.

**Deaconess Board.**—F. W. Harrop, for the Deaconess Board, presented the names of deaconesses whose licenses were renewed, as follows: Grace A. Schneider, Viola B. Fry, Elizabeth McConnell, Elizabeth Kreitz, and Miss Harriett Ireland. On motion, this was confirmed.

**Mrs. Elizabeth Kreitz.**—F. W. Harrop, for the Conference Deaconess Board, reported deaconess license granted Mrs. Elizabeth Kreitz. On motion, this was confirmed.

**Board of Stewards.**—W. H. Davenport, for the Board of Stewards, presented the report and distribution of the funds to the Conference Claimants, which was adopted. (See Reports.)

**H. C. Northcutt Resolution.**—H. C. Northcutt presented a resolution concerning the Annuity Plan for Conference Claimants, which, on motion, was adopted.

**Cabinet Retired.**—Bishop Leete and Cabinet retired, and J. M. Melear, on invitation of the Bishop, took the chair.

**Introductions.**—Dr. J. W. Langdale, of Avondale Methodist Episcopal Church, was introduced. Dr. F. Mason North, of the Board of Foreign Missions, was introduced, and addressed the Conference. Dr. E. W. Bysshe, Superintendent of Methodist Episcopal Missions in France, was introduced, and spoke concerning his work. Dr. J. S. Bailey, Superintendent of the Cincinnati-Maysville District, and Dr. T. L. Ferguson, pastor of Ninth Street Church, Covington, of the Lexington Conference,

were introduced. Rev. Dr. C. A. Bromley, of the Illinois Conference, was introduced.

**Prayer for Missions.**—On motion of T. B. Stratton, it was unanimously agreed that we join in earnest prayer with the missionary forces of our church for God's blessings upon the spread of his truth, and that 11:00 A. M. each day be designated as the hour of intercession.

**Next Session of Conference.**—Under Disciplinary Question Thirty-six, D. W. Brown invited the Conference to meet in Berea in 1916. On motion of J. D. Walsh, it was unanimously accepted.

**Semi-Centennial Sermon.**—On motion of J. D. Walsh, Amon Boreing was requested to preach a semi-centennial sermon at the next session of this Conference.

**J. U. Browne Supernumerary.**—On motion of G. W. Bunton, at the request of the Cabinet, J. U. Browne was placed upon the Supernumerary list.

**Samuel Linge Supernumerary.**—On motion of G. W. Bunton, at request of Cabinet, Samuel Linge was placed upon the Supernumerary list, and requested to locate during the coming Conference year.

**L. E. Williams Withdrawn.**—Life E. Williams withdrew from membership in this Conference.

**Committee Reports.**—The following Committee Reports were read and adopted (see Reports): Epworth League, by J. M. Litteral; Books and Periodicals, and Sabbath Observance, by W. W. Shepherd; Financial Commission, by T. B. Stratton; Sunday Schools, by A. F. Felts; State of the Church, and American Bible Society, by E. B. Hill; Freedmen's Aid Society, by J. D. Walsh; Home Missions and Church Extension, by E. R. Overley.

**Resolution by W. F. Wykoff.**—W. F. Wykoff presented the following resolution, which, on motion, was adopted:

Resolved, That we record our hearty approval of the sentiment expressed by the Board of Bishops at their last general meeting with respect to the neutrality of the Methodist Episcopal Church toward the nations now engaged in the great European war.

**Treasurer's Report.**—W. F. Harrop read the Treasurer's report, showing substantial increases in collections. It was adopted. (See Reports.)

**Auditing Accounts.**—J. F. Hopkins presented the report of the Auditing Committee. It was adopted. (See Reports.)

**Temperance Committee.**—W. G. Bradford read the report of the Temperance Committee. It was adopted. (See Reports.)

**Time Extended.**—On motion of G. W. Bunton, the time was extended.

**Printed Minutes Official.**—On motion of G. W. Bunton, the printed Minutes were made the official journal.

**Publishing Committee.**—On motion of G. W. Bunton, the Secretary, Statistician, Treasurer, and Superintendent of the Covington District were made the Committee on Publication of the Minutes.

**H. C. Northcutt Spoke.**—H. C. Northcutt addressed the Conference concerning the general work of the church.

**Adjournment.**—On motion of the Secretary, the session adjourned, with prayer by Dr. Langdale and benediction by Dr. Race, to meet at 2:00 P. M.

### Afternoon Session.

**Devotions.**—The Conference was called to order at 2:00 P. M., J. M. Melear in the chair. Prayer by J. R. Howes.

**Journal.**—The journal of the morning's session was read and approved.

**Committee Reports.**—The following committee reports were read and adopted (see Reports): Book Concern Accounts, by N. H. Young; Foreign Missions, by R. T. Harper; District Records, by Wm. Jones; Education, by S. K. Hunt.

**Wm. Jones Reported Work.**—Wm. Jones, the Conference Sunday School Missionary, reported his work.

**Statistician.**—On motion of F. W. Harrop, the Statistician was granted permission to print the statistics without reading.

**Conference Board of Home Missions.**—G. W. Bunton, President of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, reported the work of that Board for the past year.

**Standing Committees.**—On motion of L. R. Godbey, the Conference Committees now appointed were requested to present the reports for next year.

**Conference Boards.**—O. G. Ragan, for the Cabinet, nominated the Conference Boards. They were confirmed and elected, on motion.

**Missionary Money in Conference.**—O. G. Ragan presented the distribution of missionary money to charges within the Conference. On motion, it was ordered to be printed without reading.

**Limit for Missionary Help.**—On motion of O. G. Ragan, the limit of six hundred dollars salary was fixed, beyond which no help from the Home Missionary Board shall be received.

**Conference Claimants.**—On motion of F. W. Harrop, it was fixed that one thousand dollars be apportioned to the charges to be raised this year for Conference Claimants.

**Committee on General Conference Memorials.**—T. B. Ashley read reports of the Memorials to General Conference. (See Reports.)

**Committee on Memorials.**—The Committee on Memorials reported as follows:

Memorial of Seymour District, Indiana Conference, requesting the return of Bishop Anderson to this Area for another Quadrennium; Concurrence. Memorial on "Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the Methodist Episcopal Church" from the Wilmington Annual Conference; Non-concurrence. Memorial against Mormonism and Polygamy; Concurrence. Memorial from West Ohio Conference concerning "Organic Union;" Non-concurrence. Memorial from the Montana Conference concerning the plan of "Residential Episcopacy and General Conference Districts;" Concurrence. Memorial from the Louisville District Conference concerning the "Proposed Plan of Organic Union;" Concurrence. The Colorado Memorial concerning proposed "Amendments to the Constitution;" Concurrence.

**Memorial by J. M. Melear.**—J. M. Melear presented a memorial on Federal action. On motion, it was adopted. (See Memorials.)

**Committee on Memorials Reported.**—J. M. Litteral presented the report of the Committee on Resolutions, which was adopted. (See Reports.)

**Closing Exercises.**—The hymn, "A charge to keep I have," was sung, and the Bishop addressed the Conference.

**Transfers Announced.**—Bishop Leete announced the transfers. (See the list.)

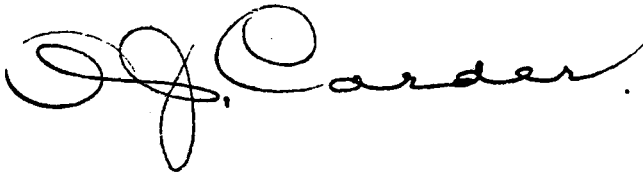
**Journal Adopted Without Reading.**—The journal of the afternoon session was adopted without reading.

**Appointments Read.**—Bishop Leete read the appointments for the coming year. (See the list.)

**Adjournment.**—The doxology was sung, and, on motion, the eighty-ninth session of the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church adjourned, with prayer and the benediction by Bishop Leete.

A large, elegant handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "B. H. Leete".

President.

A large, elegant handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "J. C. Carder".

Secretary.



# Anniversaries.

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September 1-7, 1915.

**Tuesday Evening.**—Anniversary Conference Board of Education, Rev. J. D. Walsh, D.D., presiding. Address by Rev. E. T. Franklin, A.M., President Union College.

**Wednesday Afternoon.**—Anniversary of Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Mrs. L. H. Wilson presiding. Address by Rev. L. N. Rockey, D.D., a returned missionary from India.

**Wednesday Evening, 7:30.**—Anniversary Church Temperance Society, Rev. A. H. Davis presiding. Address by E. Dietz Pickett, of Topeka, Kan.

**8:30 P. M.**—Anniversary Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, T. M. Anderson presiding. Address by Rev. Ward Platt, D.D., of Philadelphia, Pa.

**Thursday Afternoon.**—Anniversary Woman's Home Missionary Society, Mrs. Edward Berry presiding. Address by Mrs. Susie Winold, of Cincinnati, O.

**Thursday Evening.**—Anniversary Preachers' Relief Association, Rev. G. W. Bunton, D.D., presiding. Address by Rev. George Elliott, D.D., of Mt. Clemens, Mich.

**Friday Evening, 7:30.**—Anniversary Epworth League, Rev. F. T. Kelly presiding. Address by Rev. J. W. Duncan, D.D., Indianapolis, Ind.

**8:30 P. M.**—Anniversary Board of Sunday Schools, Rev. William Jones presiding. Address by Rev. Edgar Blake, D.D., of Chicago, Ill.

**Saturday Evening, 7:30.**—Anniversary Freedmen's Aid Society, Rev. E. P. Hall presiding. Address by Rev. P. J. Maveety, D.D., of Cincinnati, O.

**8:30 P. M.**—Anniversary Board of Education, J. R. Howes presiding. Address by Rev. Frederick W. Hixson, D.D., of Chattanooga, Tenn.

**Sunday Evening.**—Anniversary Board of Foreign Missions, W. F. Wyckoff, D.D., presiding. Address by Rev. Frank Mason North, D.D.

# Appointments.

## ASHLAND DISTRICT.

W. H. DAVENPORT, District Superintendent, 1; Ashland, Ky.

Ashland.....	J. H. Anderson, 2	Olive Hill.....	A. W. Hamilton, 2
Ashland, 2d Church..	H. E. Trent, 1	Paintsville.....	O. J. Carder, 6
Advance.....	L. O. Carder, 3	Pikeville Circuit...	A. W. Rowe, 1
Argillite.....	To be supplied.	Rush.....	To be supplied.
Blaine.....	To be supplied.	Russell.....	F. T. Kelley, 4
Catlettsburg.....	Thomas Grenfell, 1	Salt Lick.....	John Cheap, 2
East Point.....	(J. H. Howes)	Salyersville.....	A. W. Insko, 1
Elk Horn and Hellier.	A. W. Rowe, 2	Tolesboro.....	H. G. Carroll, 2
Fullerton.....	J. D. Haggard, 2	Turkey.....	To be supplied.
Gallup.....	W. H. Muncey, 1	Valley.....	L. C. Godbey, 1
Greenup.....	J. D. Haggard, 1	Vanceburg.....	E. B. Hill, 3
Irvington.....	T. H. Conrey, 1	Wallingford.....	T. L. Stotler, 1
Louisa.....	W. H. Young, 1		

## COVINGTON DISTRICT.

E. R. OVERLEY, District Superintendent, 1; Covington, Ky.

Asbury.....	J. F. Hopkins, 6	Germantown.....	J. F. Ruggles, 2
Augusta.....	Isaiah Cline, 2	Grant.....	(J. M. Evans)
Bellevue.....	J. G. Dover, 1	Harrison.....	W. C. Stewart, 1
Centerville.....	(C. H. Maddox)	Headquarters.....	To be supplied.
Covington:		Ludlow.....	G. N. Jolly, 3
Main Street.....	A. H. Davis, 1	Maysville.....	J. M. Litteral, 3
Shinkle.....	W. H. Spybey, 1	Mt. Olivet.....	J. R. Howes, 2
Trinity.....	E. P. Hall, 1	Newport.....	J. F. Lewis, 3
Union.....	C. W. Barnes, 1	Sardis.....	W. H. Morris, 3
West Covington.	T. B. Stratton, 2	William Jones, Sunday School Mis-	
Dayton.....	H. D. Cooper, 2	sionary for Kentucky; member of	
East Maysville.....	A. F. Felts, 4	Ludlow Quarterly Conference.	

## LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

O. G. RAGAN, District Superintendent, 3; 629 E. High Street, Lexington, Ky.

Albany and Wayne.	W. M. Ragan, 1	London.....	S. M. Firestone, 1
Barbourville.....	C. A. Bromley, 1	Middlesboro.....	J. T. Martin, 5
Barbourville Circuit.	A. P. Wilson, 1	Middleburg.....	C. C. Moore, 4
Bethel Ridge.....	J. A. Williams, 1	Monica.....	W. A. Bugbie, 1
Berea.....	D. W. Brown, 2	Nicholasville.....	J. G. Ragan, 2
Booneville.....	To be supplied.	Oil Center.....	To be supplied.
Burning Spgs....	(Harvey Johnson)	Pineville.....	To be supplied.
College Hill.....	A. S. Godbey, 4	Riley.....	L. F. Payne, 1
Corbin.....	W. W. Shepherd, 1	Science Hill.....	L. R. Godbey, 2
Corbin Circuit.....	E. N. Earley, 1	Somerset.....	T. M. Anderson, 1
Gradyville.....	S. C. Chapman, 1	West London.....	George Earley, 1
Harlan.....	F. W. Harrop, 1	Whitley City.....	E. F. Burnsides, 1
Harlan Circuit.....	A. A. Bryan, 1	Williamsburg.....	To be supplied.
Holly Hill.....	A. P. Wilson, 2	Pulaski.....	To be supplied.
Kings Mountain...	G. W. Wright, 1	Madison Combs left without appoint-	
Lexington.....	J. M. Melear, 6	ment to attend school.	

## LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.

E. L. SHEPARD, District Superintendent, 4; 164 N. Keats Ave., Louisville, Ky.

Arlington.....	To be supplied.	Louisville:	
Beaver Dam....	(R. W. Huntsman)	Epworth.....	A. H. McKellup, 1
Bowling Green.....	<i>T. B. Ashley</i> , 3	Trinity.....	W. F. Wykoff, 4
Bowling Green Ct..	<i>Charles Mitchell</i> , 2	Wesley.....	H. W. Seifert, 1
Deer Lick.....	H. W. Landreth, 1	Morgantown.....	To be supplied.
Dexterville.....	To be supplied.	Munfordsville.....	S. Riggs, 1
Earlington.....	To be supplied.	No Creek.....	R. T. Harper, 1
Grahampton.....	(L. O. Logsden)	Onton.....	A. S. Hines, 1
Greenville Circuit.	To be supplied.	Owensboro.....	To be supplied.
Hardinsburg.....	<i>S. K. Hunt</i> , 3	Paducah.....	To be supplied.
Hickory Grove.....	<i>J. B. Jones</i> , 5	Sacramento.....	To be supplied.
Hopkinsville Ct...	J. C. Landrum, 1	Scottsville.....	<i>R. M. Criswell</i> .
Leitchfield.....	J. W. Cantrell, 1	Summit.....	To be supplied.
		Tompkinsville.....	W. H. Hole, 1
		West View.....	J. A. Phillips, 1
		Zion.....	S. M. Carrier, 1
		* <i>Scottsville lit.</i>	

## CONFERENCE TREASURER'S CASH REPORTS.

### RECEIPTS.

Balance in hands of Treasurer.....	\$7 02
From Book Concern Dividend.....	1,295 00
From Board of Conference Claimants (Chicago).....	200 00
From Conference Collections.....	5,248 00
Total.....	\$6,750 02

### DISBURSEMENTS.

G. W. Bunton, Secretary.....	\$7 00
W. H. Davenport, Chairman Board of Stewards.....	2,191 00
Wm. Fowles, Board of Foreign Missions.....	1,466 00
Saml. Shaw, Board of Home Missions and Church Extension....	1,309 00
John H. Race, Freedmen's Aid Society.....	193 00
J. E. Leaycraft, Board of Education.....	310 00
C. B. Nordeman, Local Education.....	143 00
E. R. Graham, Board of Sunday Schools.....	234 00
Marvin Campbell, Board of Conference Claimants Permanent Fund.....	87 00
Marvin Campbell, Conference Collections 5%.....	37 00
Jno. A. Johnson, Annual Conference Investments.....	45 00
E. H. Anderson, Temperance Society.....	66 00
Mrs. C. R. Talbot, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.....	40 00
Mrs. J. C. Dugan, Woman's Home Missionary Society.....	45 00
W. F. Sheridan, Epworth League Dues.....	14 00
Dr. G. P. Mains, Episcopal Fund.....	388 00
O. P. Miller, General Conference Expenses.....	117 00
Wm. Foulke, American Bible Society.....	58 00

Total Disbursements..... \$6,750 00

Balance in hands of Treasurer.....	\$0 02
Conference Vouchers.....	12,376 00
Total Vouchers.....	12,376 00

Grand Total Cash and Vouchers..... \$19,126 02

F. W. HARROP, Treasurer.

Harlan, Kentucky, September 20, 1915.

# ASHLAND DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.											SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			BAPTISMS.			
		PASTOR.				DISTRICT SUPER'ENTS.		BISHOPS.		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.		Total Paid for Ministerial Support.....	Total Deficiency .....	Sunday Schools .....	Officers and Teachers..	Total Enrollment in all Departments .....	Adults Baptized.....	Children Baptized.....	Baptized Children Under Instruction.....
		Total Claim, Including House Rent.....	Total Paid, Including House Rent.....	Rental Value of Parsonage.....	Deficiency.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....								
ASHLAND DISTRICT.																			
Ashland.....	J. H. Anderson.....	\$2050	\$2050	\$350		\$150	\$150	\$31	\$31	\$40	\$40	\$2271		1	63	1153	38	29	29
Ashland, Second Church.....	J. D. Williams.....	650	650	100		60	60	10	3	10	4	717	\$13	1	13	200	20	2	
Advance.....	L. O. Carder.....	460	455	100	\$5	50	48	8	1	8	1	505	21	3	25	270	18		
Blaine.....	C. N. Vaughn.....	450		100		40		6		3				3	21	210			
Catlettsburg.....	Thos. Grenfell.....	1057	1057	250			60	19	19	15	15	1151		1	18	179			
East Point.....	J. H. Howes.....	400	400	100		60	60					460		5	21	176	18	4	2
Elkhorn and Hellies.....	H. W. Rowe.....	450	322		128	50	44					366	134	2	8	145	12		
Fullerton.....	J. D. Haggard.....	587	517		70	60	47	12	2	12	7	573	98	4	23	235	25		
Gallup.....	T. L. Stotler.....	550	520	120	30	50	47		1		1	569	30	5	23	300	62		
Greenup.....	L. E. Williams.....	600	586	109	14	60	37	8	1	8	1	625	51	4	20	325	20	1	
Louisa.....	H. E. Trent.....	600	600	100		60	60	10	3	10	4	667	13	1	16	174	12	6	4
Olive Hill.....	W. W. Shepherd.....	600	600	100		60	50	12		12		650	34	1	11	167			20
Paintsville.....	O. J. Carder.....	1300	1300	300		80	80		3	10	10	1393		1	13	250	28	1	
Pikeville.....	M. C. Reynolds.....	(												1	8	80			)
Rush.....	Vernon Grizzle.....	300	166		134	35	32	2	1	2	1	200	160	4	28	160			
Russell.....	F. T. Kelley.....	1100	1100	300	80	80	80	16	16	16	16		1212	1	17	144	6	5	
Salt Lick.....	John Cheap.....	700	625	100	75	60	55		3		5	688	80	1	12	150	1	3	
Salysersville.....	W. H. Munsey.....	650	561	50	89	64	62		2		4	629	91	4	30	300	28		
Tolesboro.....	H. G. Carroll.....	595	514	100	81	60	55	12	8	12	8	585	94	4	20	225	8	16	14
Turkey Circuit.....	Sanford Crum.....	250	40		210	20	21					61	209	3	12	72	2		
Valley.....	(W. R. Gilley).....	(	410	391		50	50		4		2	466	19	3	20	180	2		)
Vanceburg.....	E. B. Hill.....	750	725	150	25	70	62	5	5	5	5	797	33	3	30	350	15		15
Wallingford.....	L. C. Godbey.....	600	425	100	175	60	25	10		10		450	210	3	24	100			
Totals this year.....		\$15109	\$13604	\$2520	\$1036	\$1339	\$1185	\$161	\$103	\$173	\$124	\$13823	\$2502	59	486	5545	315	67	84
Total last year.....		15097	14640	2500	1289	1431	1436	141	99	145	116	15678	1361	59	496	5317	175	65	66
Increase.....		\$12		\$20				\$20	\$4	\$28	\$8		\$1141			228	140	2	18
Decrease.....			\$1036		\$253	\$92	\$251					\$1855			10				

See the Charges in parenthesis ( ) indicating that this report was taken from last years report. This is according to Discipline, page 71, Par. 86, Sec. 5.—W. H. DAVENPORT, *Statistician*.

# ASHLAND DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.						EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.								GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.			
		PROBATIONERS.		FULL MEMBERS.				Senior Members.	Junior Members.	Churches.	Estimated Value.	Parsonages.	Estimated Value.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc..	Apportioned for the Quadrennium.	Paid This Year.	Balance Due for the Quadrennium.	
		Enrolled During Year.	Now on Roll.	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths During Year.														
ASHLAND DISTRICT.																					
Ashland.	J. H. Anderson.	99	29	712	80		8	75		1	\$20000	1	\$4000	\$38			\$800	\$44	\$11		
Ashland, Second Church.	J. D. Williams.	20		157		1	1			1	2000	1	1000				73				
Advance.	L. O. Carder.			136	19					4	6500	1	1000	35			90				
Blaine.	C. N. Vaughn.			225	50	1				4	5000										
Catlettsburg.	Thos. Grenfell.	6	9	135			1	57		1	5000	1	3000		\$209	\$428	135				
East Point.	J. H. Howes.	4	10	221		1				2	2000	1	500	75			40				
Elkhorn and Hellies.	H. W. Rowe.			23		1	3		2	2	6000					500	50				
Fullerton.	J. D. Haggard.			331	25	1	4	28		4	6000			225	200	25	75		2		
Gallup.	T. L. Stotler.			236	14	1	2	50		5	5000	2	2000	1500			50				
Greenup.	L. E. Williams.	40		226	30	1	1		30	4	6000	1	1000	3			60				
Louisa.	H. E. Trent.	20	10	72	7	1	1			1	4000	2									
Olive Hill.	W. W. Shepherd.	3	15	66	19		1		20	1	3000	1	1000	20			30				
Paintsville.	O. J. Carder.	28		165		1	2			1	20000	1	4000	12000		3000	180	21		\$14	
Pikeville.	M. C. Reynolds.	1		112						1										)	
Rush.	Vernon Grizzle.			129						1	1000						25			)	
Russell.	F. T. Kelley.	8		100	6				36	1	4500	1	3000	250	420	700	100	20	5		
Salt Lick.	John Cheap.	6	8	140	6		2			1	2000	1	1000	75	225	85	55				
Salversville.	W. H. Munsey.	38	2	243		2	2			5	7000	1	1000	750			45		2		
Tollesboro.	H. G. Carroll.	30	2	282	20	3	5		16	4	6000	1	800				60				
Turkey Circuit.	Sanford Crum.	10	10	80		4	1			2	2000						45				
Valley.	(W. R. Gilley).	1	2	176	25	2	1			3	4800						75				
Vanceburg.	E. B. Hill.			175		2	4			3	12000	1	1500	75			150				
Wallingford.	L. C. Godbey.	1		242			6			4	4000	1	300	45		12	25				
Totals this year.		315	97	4384	301	22	45	210	104	56	\$128800	18	\$25100	\$15091	\$1054	\$4750	\$2163	\$85	\$20	\$14	
Total last year.		354	186	4498	263	28	42	325	140	56	112300	18	26900	3751	597	2541	2435	54	33	25	
Increase.					38		3				\$16500			\$11340	\$457	\$2209		\$31			
Decrease.		39	89	114		6		115	36				\$1800				\$272		\$13	\$11	

# COVINGTON DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.										SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			BAPTISMS.				
		PASTOR.				DISTRICT SUPER'ENTS.		BISHOPS.		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.		Total Paid for Ministerial Support.....	Total Deficiency .....	Sunday Schools .....	Officers and Teachers...	Total Enrollment in all Departments .....	Adults Baptized .....	Children Baptized.....	Baptized Children Under Instruction....
		Total Claim, Including House Rent .....	Total Paid, Including House Rent.....	Rental Value of Parsonage.....	Deficiency.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....								
COVINGTON DISTRICT.																			
Asbury.....	J. F. Hopkins.....	\$550	\$535	\$100	\$15	\$50	\$46	\$10	\$2	\$10	\$5	\$588	\$32	2	14	110	.....	.....	.....
Augusta.....	Isaiah Cline.....	850	735	150	115	56	56	9	4	15	8	803	127	2	19	225	.....	.....	.....
Bellevue.....	Edward B. Hall.....	1000	1000	.....	.....	80	80	17	17	10	10	1107	.....	1	20	285	3	12	8
Centerville.....	C. H. Maddox.....	390	390	.....	.....	50	50	.....	.....	10	10	450	.....	2	14	90	.....	14	.....
Covington: Main Street.....	W. H. Davenport.....	950	950	250	.....	30	30	5	5	10	10	995	.....	1	11	247	4	9	11
Shinkle.....	Wm. F. Taylor.....	1350	1350	.....	.....	80	80	23	.....	27	15	1445	35	1	26	331	8	5	11
Trinity.....	F. W. Harrop.....	1200	1200	200	.....	80	80	20	20	20	20	1520	.....	1	21	376	11	8	19
Union.....	G. W. Bunton.....	2000	2000	500	.....	210	210	32	32	78	78	2320	.....	1	34	484	32	10	.....
West Covington.....	T. B. Stratton.....	602	610	180	.....	30	28	9	2	10	10	651	101	1	19	195	1	12	20
Dayton.....	H. D. Cooper.....	900	900	200	.....	50	50	.....	2	5	.....	957	.....	1	16	125	2	3	.....
East Maysville.....	A. F. Felts.....	700	700	.....	.....	50	50	4	.....	10	.....	750	14	5	45	545	25	5	.....
Germantown.....	J. F. Ruggles.....	560	532	100	28	60	58	8	8	10	8	606	32	5	38	383	28	.....	.....
Grant and Jonesville.....	J. M. Evans.....	261	228	86	33	50	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	311	58	4	30	180	17	.....	.....
Harrison.....	N. H. Young.....	750	713	.....	37	70	70	3	8	6	20	791	37	7	45	395	17	6	10
Ludlow.....	G. N. Jolly.....	850	850	.....	.....	60	60	16	9	15	15	934	7	1	20	275	3	9	12
Maysville.....	J. M. Litteral.....	1100	1100	300	.....	60	60	1	1	.....	2	1163	.....	1	16	196	6	1	.....
Mount Olivet.....	J. R. Howes.....	850	850	100	.....	65	65	12	5	12	10	937	9	5	36	290	31	8	.....
Newport.....	J. F. Lewis.....	1760	1760	360	.....	150	120	.....	12	.....	50	1942	30	1	46	501	16	14	21
Sardis.....	W. H. Morris.....	1000	1000	150	.....	80	80	.....	5	.....	20	1105	.....	5	30	480	20	.....	.....
Total this year.....		\$17623	\$17403	\$2676	\$228	\$1361	\$1298	\$168	\$132	\$248	\$289	\$19375	\$482	47	510	5683	224	116	112
Total last year.....		16841	16469	2351	324	1270	1291	148	216	240	245	18182	400	43	476	5198	308	115	171
Increase.....		\$782	\$934	\$325	.....	\$91	\$7	\$25	.....	\$8	\$44	\$1193	\$82	4	34	485	.....	1	.....
Decrease.....					\$96				\$84								84		59

# COVINGTON DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

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NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.						EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.								GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.			
		PROBATIONERS.		FULL MEMBERS.				Senior Members.	Junior Members.	Churches.	Estimated Value.	Parsonages.	Estimated Value.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc..	Apporportioned for the Quadrennium.	Paid This Year.	Balance Due for the Quadrennium.	
		Enrolled During Year.	Now on Roll.	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths During Year.														
COVINGTON DISTRICT.																					
Asbury	J. F. Hopkins	2	7	168	41		5	22		5	\$11500	1	\$1500	\$115	\$300	\$700	\$139		3		
Augusta	Isaiah Cline	8	10	220	12		1	34	37	2	7000	1	1800	1040		418	110		2		
Bellevue	Edward B. Hall			221			2			1	17000				200	4000	422	\$12	\$2	\$7	
Centerville	C. H. Maddox			200						2	2000						45		2		
Covington: Main Street.	W. H. Davenport	4	7	109	2	4	1	20		1	17000	1	3000		133	28	171	169			
Shinkle	Wm. F. Taylor	11	17	270	11	1	5	110	16	1	15000			250	275	330	490	10	2	6	
Trinity	F. W. Harrop	19	5	281	15		1	60		1	25000	1	3000	380	250		450				
Union	G. W. Bunton	7	22	377	45		3	75		1	50000	1	10000	3200			1300	20	5		
West Covington.	T. B. Stratton	14	8	87	14	3	1		15	1	3000	1	2500	340	250	625	100		1		
Dayton	H. D. Cooper			125			1		25	2	12000	1	2500	4500		4500	50				
East Maysville.	A. F. Felts	32	2	280	6	3	3			5	14000			30	300	100	300	6		3	
Germantown.	J. F. Ruggles			350	27	1	2			5	8000	1	1000	180			101		2		
Grant and Jonesville.	J. M. Evans	25		183	75	2	10			4	4000	1	500	300			100				
Harrison	N. H. Young	17		495	7	3	6			5	8000			70			150	3	3		
Ludlow	G. N. Jolly	14	8	208	13		2	32		1	7000	1	4500	150	210	1300	150	11	3		
Maysville	J. M. Litteral	6	4	278	20	1	1	115		1	10000	1	5000		375	250	325				
Mount Olivet.	J. R. Howes	37	4	368	11	1	5			3	9000	1	1500	200			100				
Newport.	J. F. Lewis	24	6	310	15	3	2	70	31	1	30000	1	3500			4325	900		9		
Sardis	W. H. Morris	20		475	4	2	9	21		5	9000	1	1500				150		2		
Total this year.		240	100	5005	318	24	50	584	99	47	\$258500	14	\$41800	\$10888	\$2188	\$16719	\$5551	\$62	\$38	\$16	
Total last year.		439	157	4929	289	17	73	526	142	47	246950	14	40400	7684	3691	11296	5527	108	34	37	
Increase				76	29	7		58			\$11550		\$1400	\$3204		\$5423	\$24		\$4		
Decrease		99	57				23		43						\$1503			\$46		\$21	



# LEXINGTON DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.											SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			BAPTISMS.			
		PASTOR.				DISTRICT SUPER'ENTS.		BISHOPS.		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.		Total Paid for Ministe- rial Support.....	Total Deficiency .....	Sunday Schools.....	Officers and Teachers..	Total Enrollment in all Departments .....	Adults Baptized.....	Children Baptized.....	Baptized Children Under Instruction....
		Total Claim, In- cluding House Rent.....	Total Paid, In- cluding House Rent.....	Rental Value of Parsonage.....	Deficiency.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....								
LEXINGTON DISTRICT																			
Albany and Wayne.....		(												4	16	250			)
Barbourville.....	E. R. Overley.....	\$1200	\$1200	\$200		\$60	\$60	\$10	\$10	\$15	\$15	\$1285		1	15	235	50	2	2
Barbourville Circuit.....	W. T. Gregory.....	250	57		\$193	28	16					73	\$205	3	19	195	30		
Bethel Ridge.....	W. C. Stewart.....	625	560	100	65	45	40	8	2	8	3	605	81	4	36	415	10	25	
Berea.....	D. W. Brown.....	1000	1000			50	50		2		8	1060		2	25	235	28	2	2
Boonesville.....		472	200	50	272	40	40					240	272	2	18	100			)
Burning Springs.....	Harvey Johnson.....	(	245	100	145	32	32					132	145				11		
College Hill.....	A. S. Godbey.....	700	700	100		50	44		2		4	750		1	7	70	19	2	
Corbin.....	E. N. Early.....	655	452		203	48	48			25	12	512	216	3	15	160		10	
Gradyville.....		(	250	200	50	32	24					224	50	4	30	250			)
Harlan.....	W. C. Stewart.....	1000	1000	150		60	60	1	1		1	1062		1	10	100		1	9
Harlan Circuit.....	O. W. Miller.....	300	202		98	36	27		1		1	231	107	3	15	195	4		
Holly Hill.....	A. P. Wilson.....	300	60		240	32	9					69	263	2	14	207			
Kings Mountain.....	G. W. Wright.....	490	324		166	40	35				1	360	166	4	30	606	19	1	
Lexington.....	J. M. Melear.....	2500	2500	500		200	200	31	31	100	100	2831		1	15	200	10	5	15
London.....	H. W. Seifert.....	560	560			48	48				5	613		1	12	115	5	2	
Middlesboro.....	J. T. Martin.....	620	570	120	50	50	50	2	4		2	687	34	1	12	207	1		
Middleburg.....	C. C. Moore.....	557	504	72	53	50	50	8	4	8	8	566	57	4	20	200	8		
Monica.....	Samuel Linge.....	(	263	181	40	82	40	40	2	1	2	1	222	84	2	12	60		)
Nicholasville.....	J. G. Ragan.....	600	560		40	60	55	2	2	10	6	629	41	3	20	400	36		
Oil Center.....	R. H. Schniber.....	200	40		160	30	20					60	170	1	8	50	28		
Pineville.....	H. C. Martindale.....	800	500		300	40	40	2	2	10	5	507	305	1	9	125	1	1	
Riley.....	R. T. Moores.....	400	250	50	150							250	150	1	8	30			
Science Hill.....	L. R. Godbey.....	660	586	60	84	50	50	10	4		4	644	90	4	30	200			
Somerset.....	A. H. Davis.....	900	900	150		60	60		3	10	10	973		1	18	197	10	14	
West London.....	George Early.....	200	126		74	32	32					158	74	5		160	9		
Williamsburg.....	A. H. McKellup.....	400	403	96		40	33					436	3	2	15	175	25	4	
Woodbine.....	Thomas C. Walters.....	275	165	36	110	32	32		1		1	197	110	1	10	150	251	4	
Total this year.....		\$16422	\$13900	\$1724	\$2535	\$1285	\$1195	\$76	\$70	\$188	\$187	\$15376	\$2623	62	439	5297	555	73	28
Total last year.....		16491	14074	1585	2508	1421	1377	69	64	220	203	15784	2566	73	511	5296	293	48	29
Increase.....				\$139	\$27			\$7	\$6				\$57			1	262	25	
Decrease.....		\$69	\$174			\$136	\$172			\$32	\$16	\$308		11	72				1

# LEXINGTON DISTRICT.—STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.						EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.								GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.			
		PROBATIONERS.		FULL MEMBERS.				Senior Members.....	Junior Members.....	Churches.....	Estimated Value .....	Parsonages .....	Estimated Value .....	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages .....	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages .....	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages .....	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc..	Apportioned for the Quadrennium.....	Paid This Year.....	Balance Due for the Quadrennium.....	
		Enrolled During Year.....	Now on Roll.....	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members.....	Local Preachers.	Deaths During Year.....														
LEXINGTON DISTRICT																					
Albany and Wayne.....		(		293	24		2			6	\$1500										)
Barbourville.....	E. R. Overley.....	29	29	236	24		2			1	10000	1	\$2000	\$25	\$175		\$200		\$3		
Barbourville Circuit.....	W. T. Gregory.....	9		147	13	1	3			5	6000			45			3				
Bethel Ridge.....	W. C. Stewart.....	30	20	380		1	5			4	8600	1	600	150			100	\$8			
Berea.....	D. W. Brown.....	18	18	158	14	2	1	40	20	2	8500			77	750	\$500	216		2		
Boonesville.....		(	1	471		8				4	7600	1	600								)
Burning Springs.....	Harvey Johnson.....		1	160						4	2500										
College Hill.....	A. S. Godbey.....	21	4	224	105					4	3500	1	700	150			125				
Corbin.....	E. N. Early.....	10	10	154	4	3	2			3	4000	1	800			400					
Gradyville.....		(		367			4			4	800	1	325	25							)
Harlan.....	W. C. Stewart.....		9	108	71	1	2	24		1	2500	1	1500		102	50	45		1		
Harlan Circuit.....	O. W. Miller.....	4		190		2	1			3	3500					5	18				
Holly Hill.....	A. P. Wilson.....	5	10	168		3	4			4	2000			10			5				
Kings Mountain.....	G. W. Wright.....	54	13	410		4	2			4	4500	1	500	135			70				
Lexington.....	J. M. Melear.....	5	10	455	10	1	5	50		1	30000	1	8000				1200				
London.....	H. W. Seifert.....	14		65		1	1			1	10000			100	1950		100				
Middlesboro.....	J. T. Martin.....			82	25		2	20		1	10000			133			90				
Middleburg.....	C. C. Moore.....	7	2	297	20	1	4			5	7000	1	900	55			50		4		
Monica.....	Samuel Linge.....	(		150		2	2			4	1600	1	200	20			20				)
Nicholasville.....	J. G. Ragan.....	40	12	400		1	2			7	12000			500			40	2			
Oil Center.....	R. H. Schniber.....		2	184		2	2			3	1400			25			30				
Pineville.....	H. C. Martindale.....		3	80	10		1			1	10000			40	1300		40				
Riley.....	R. T. Moores.....			95		1	1			4	1000	1	250	35			6				
Science Hill.....	L. R. Godbey.....			300		2	2	20		4	4000	1	500	240			50		1	\$5	
Somerset.....	A. H. Davis.....			282	12	3	4			1	5000					305	158				
West London.....	George Early.....	15	6	261		2				8	5000	1	2500	65			40		3		
Williamsburg.....	A. H. McKellup.....	35		200		2	1	35	18	2	4300	1	900	227			50				
Woodbine.....	Thomas C. Walters.....	251	1	484		4				6	3000			100		75	50				
Total this year.....		547	150	6801	308	47	53	189	38	97	\$159700	15	\$20275	\$2157	\$4255	\$1335	\$2706	\$16	\$16	\$5	
Total last year.....		323	210	6839	269	51	54	185	148	107	173760	14	19675	3171	1507	5038	2836	8	11	6	
Increase.....		124			39			4					\$10600		\$2748			\$8	\$5	\$1	
Decrease.....			60	28		4	1		110	10	\$14060	1		\$1014		\$3693	\$130				

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NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.												SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			BAPTISMS.		
		PASTOR.				DISTRICT SUPER' ENTS.		BISHOPS.		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.		Total Paid for Ministerial Support.....	Total Deficiency .....	Sunday Schools.....	Officers and Teachers..	Total Enrollment in all Departments .....	Adults Baptized.....	Children Baptized.....	Baptized Children Under Instruction.....
		Total Claim Including House Rent.....	Total Paid, Including House Rent.....	Rental Value of Parsonage ...	Deficiency.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....								
LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.																			
Arlington.....	Albert Seymore Hines.....	\$332	\$322	\$72	\$10	\$40	\$40	\$4	\$3	\$3	\$2	\$367	\$12	1	6	80			1
Beaver Dam.....	R. W. Huntsman.....	472	368	72	104	44	36			1	1	406		3	18	150	10	1	
Bowling Green.....	Thomas B. Ashley.....	600	600			40	40	12	5	16	5	650	18	1	9	162	5	2	
Bowling Green Circuit.....	Charles Mitchell.....	470	450	50	20	50	50	9	5	14	8	513	30	3	24	200	20		
Deer Lick.....	J. W. Rich.....	400	274	50	126	40						274		2	7	125	11	1	
Dexterville.....	H. W. Landreth.....	240	215	50	25	32	32	2	1	3	1	249	28	2	11	120	1		
Earlington.....	W. B. Dunkum.....	470	352	60	117	40	40	12	5	13	5	403	132	4	25	175	30	10	
Grayhampton.....	L. O. Logsden.....	300	300			33	33	2	2	3	3	364		4	23	250	26	16	
Greenville Circuit.....	J. C. Landrum.....	106	108			22	17					125	3	3	17	120	21	1	
Hardinsburg.....	S. K. Hunt.....	725	715	125	10	64	64	15	3	20	3	785	39	4	25	355	27	2	
Hickory Grove.....	J. B. Jones.....	492	442	42	50	50	50	6	2	8	8	502	54	3	17	150	12	4	4
Hopkinsville Circuit.....	J. A. Phillips.....	510	260	12	250	40	30	2	2	2	2	294		4	20	210	16		
Leitchfield.....	J. L. Burton.....	600	380	100	220	60	33	15	1	6	2	423		4	30	334	11	3	
Louisville: Epworth.....	T. M. Anderson.....	742	742			30	30	12	12	22	22	804		2	17	167	7	12	11
Trinity.....	W. F. Wykoff.....	2600	2600	600		300	300	45	45	72	72	3017		1	28	300	5	6	
Wesley.....	J. W. Cantrell.....	1000	970		30	50	50	5	5	7	7	1032		1	17	220	24	17	19
Morgantown.....	Ethel L. Douglas.....	340	140	40	200	40	24	5		10		168	236	4	12	150	5		
Mumfordsville.....	T. E. Witten.....	240	175	25	65	52	37					212		3	30		10	2	)
No Creek.....	E. G. Wesley.....	800	760	150	40	56	54		1		3	815	42	4	20	355	11	5	
Onton.....	R. T. Harper.....	700	650	60	50	52	52	3	3	5	5	650	50	3	20	272	3	8	8
Owensboro.....	J. B. Perryman.....	634	205	84	429	32	22	4		6		227	449	1	8	38			
Paducah.....	J. M. Horne.....	262	210	48		24	24					234		1	12	172	5	3	)
Sacramento.....	C. R. Davidson.....	335	177	60	158	24	24					177	158		13	98	4		)
Scottsville.....	Jas. Collins.....	644	545	144	99	60	60	15	8	18	10	623	164	4	32	299	21		
Summit.....	R. M. Criswell.....	350	228		122	32	32	8	4			264	126	4	16	216	12	2	2
Tompkinsville.....	J. S. Collins.....	644	526	144	118	60	53					579	125	2	12	299	20	5	
Zion.....	S. M. Carrier.....	435	300		135	40	40	6	3	5	4	347	139	2	14	75	6		)
Total this year.....		\$15443	\$13014	\$1988	\$2378	\$1467	\$1287	\$182	\$110	\$234	\$162	\$14548	\$1707	69	483	5092	323	100	45
Total last year.....		15606	13512	1863	1894	1417	1278	204		248	187	14731	1641	66	459	3985	258	68	11
Increase.....				\$125	\$484	\$50	\$9						\$66	3	24	1107	65	32	34
Decrease.....		\$163	\$498					\$22	\$2	\$14	\$25	\$183							

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NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.						EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.								GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.			
		PROBATIONERS.		FULL MEMBERS.				Senior Members.	Junior Members.	Churches.	Estimated Value.	Parsonages.	Estimated Value.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages.	Current Expenses: Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc..	Apportioned for the Quadrantennium.	Paid This Year.	Balance Due for the Quadrantennium.	
		Enrolled During Year.	Now on Roll.	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths During Year.														
LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.																					
Arlington	Albert Seymore Hines.	2	2	54	9		2			2	\$2000	1	\$600	\$31				\$35			
Beaver Dam	R. W. Huntsman			225			3			4	3400	1	800	25				50			
Bowling Green.	Thomas B. Ashley	20	13	140	2		2			1	7000					\$40		92	\$16	\$5	
Bowling Green Circuit	Charles Mitchell	30	2	352	25		2		30	4	4000	1	1000	220				30			
Deer Lick	J. W. Rich	17		222		1					2000	1	300				10				
Dexterville	H. W. Landreth.	8	5	125	10	2	1			3	2000	1	750	150	\$11	12	12				
Earlington	W. B. Dunkum.	50		170		2	3			3	1500	1	500	40			20				
Grayhampton	L. O. Logsdon	18	6	294		2	8			5	4000			125			40		1		
Greenville Circuit.	J. C. Landrum	1		150		2	1	20	40	3	2400						40				
Hardinsburg.	S. K. Hunt			421		7	3			8	8000	1	1200	200			125	20	1	\$18	
Hickory Grove.	J. B. Jones	16	16	203	12	2	6			3	3000	1	500				20	2	2		
Hopkinsville Circuit.	J. A. Phillips		39	132			1			6	3400	1	1200	526	500	700	30				
Leitchfield.	J. L. Burton	11		387		4				4	7346	1	1000	2616		1079	100				
Louisville: Epworth.	T. M. Anderson.	18	11	222	10	3		20	15	2	6000			5			160				
Trinity	W. F. Wykoff.	13		425	16	1	4	50		1	60000	1	7500	257			1300	120	25	55	
Wesley	J. W. Cantrell.	24		277	5	1		37		1	25000						150		2		
Morgantown.	Ethel L. Douglas.	7	7	67		2	1			4	1500	1	500	3			80				
Mumfordsville.	T. E. Witten	( 13		200		1	4			6	3250	1	300							)	
No Creek	E. G. Wesley	400	20	400	20	1	3			4	4500	1	1500								
Onton.	R. T. Harper	25		341	100		2			4	4000	1	600	50			100	5	5		
Owensboro.	J. B. Perryman			46	10	1	2			1	2500			22		156	32	8		8	
Paducah	J. M. Horne.	(		41		2		36	5	1	1200	1	600	20			50			)	
Sacramento.	C. R. Davidson	( 4		133	7	3	3			2	1700	1	500				15			)	
Scottsville.	Jas. Collins	105		421		1				6	2700	1	1200			700	60				
Summit	R. M. Criswell	10	2	350		3	3			6	3000			10							
Tompkinsville.	J. S. Collins.	26		420		1	3	35		6	2700	1	1200			700	100				
Zion.	S. M. Carrier	( 6		175		1				3	5000						30				)
Total this year		824	123	6393	226	41	59	192	90	93	\$173096	19	\$21750	\$4300	\$511	\$3387	\$2681	\$165	\$41	\$81	
Total last year		405	560	6615	147	42	42	144	30	92	182650	17	20200	3098	354	1315	2723	211	65	144	
Increase		419			79		17	48	60	1		2	\$1550	\$1202	\$157	\$2072		\$46	\$24	\$63	
Decrease			437	322		1					\$9554						\$42				

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NAME OF DISTRICT.	NAME OF DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.												SUNDAY SCHOOLS.			BAPTISMS.		
		PASTOR.				DISTRICT SUPER'ENTS.		BISHOPS.		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.		Total Paid for Ministe- rial Support.....	Total Deficiency .....	Sunday Schools .....	Officers and Teachers...	Total Enrollment in all Departments .....	Adults Baptized.....	Children Baptized.....	Baptized Children Under Instruction...
		Total Claim, In- cluding House Rent.....	Total Paid, In- cluding House Rent.....	Rental Value of Parsonage.....	Deficiency.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....	Claim.....	Paid.....								
Ashland District.....	C. B. Plummer.....	\$15109	\$13604	\$2520	\$1036	\$1339	\$1185	\$161	\$103	\$173	\$124	\$13823	\$2502	57	476	5445	315	67	84
Covington District.....	J. G. Dover.....	17623	17403	2676	228	1361	1298	168	132	248	289	19375	482	47	510	5711	224	116	112
Lexington District.....	O. G. Ragan.....	16422	13900	1724	2535	1285	1175	76	70	188	187	15376	2623	62	439	5297	555	73	28
Louisville District.....	E. L. Shepard.....	15443	13014	1988	2378	1457	1283	182	110	234	162	14548	1707	67	451	4451	323	100	45
Total this year.....		\$64597	\$57921	\$8908	\$6177	\$5442	\$4941	\$587	\$415	\$843	\$762	\$53132	\$7314	233	1876	20904	1417	356	269
Total last year.....		64035	58695	8299	5022	5539	5182	562	492	853	751	64375	5968	238	1942	19462	934	296	307
Increase.....		\$562		\$609	\$1155			\$25			\$11		\$1346			1442	483	60	
Decrease.....			\$774			\$97	\$241		\$77	\$10		\$1243		5	66				38

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NAME OF DISTRICT.	NAME OF DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT.	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.							EPWORTH LEAGUE.		CHURCH PROPERTY.										GENERAL CONF. EXPENSES.		
		PROBA- TIONERS.	FULL MEMBERS.						Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parson- ages	Paid on Old Indebted- ness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Par- sonages	Current Expenses: Sex- ton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrantum	Paid This Year	Balance Due for the Quadrantum		
			Now on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers.	Deaths During Year	Members on Roll	Enrolled During Year															
Ashland District	C. B. Plummer	315	97	4384	301	22	45	210	104	50	\$128800	18	\$25100	\$15091	\$1054	\$4750	\$2163	\$85	\$20	\$14			
Covington District	J. G. Dover	240	100	5005	318	24	50	584	99	46	258500	14	41800	10888	2188	16719	5551	62	38	16			
Lexington District	O. G. Ragan	547	149	6262	308	47	53	189	38	87	155700	15	20275	2157	4255	1335	2706	16	16	5			
Louisville District	E. L. Shepard	824	123	6393	226	41	59	192	90	93	173096	19	21750	4300	511	3387	2681	165	41	81			
Total this year		1926	469	22044	1153	134	207	1175	331	276	\$716096	66	\$108925	\$32436	\$8008	\$26191	\$13101	\$338	\$115	\$116			
Total last year		1521	1113	22861	968	138	211	1180	460	302	710660	68	107175	17695	6149	20190	13571	391	143	203			
Increase		405			185						\$5436		\$1850	\$14741	\$1858	\$6001	\$470						
Decrease			644	1817		4	4	45	129	26		2						\$53	\$28	\$87			

# ASHLAND DISTRICT.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.																				OTHER BENEVOLENCES.				OTHER ITEMS.					
	MISSIONS.					Freedmen's Aid Society..	EDUCATION		BOARD OF S. SCH'LS.		CONF. CLAIM'TS.		Church Temperance So- ciety.	Woman's Foreign Mission- ary Society.	W. H. M. SOCIETY.		American Bible Society...	Central Office Expenses, Epworth League.	City Missionary or Church Extension Society.	Methodist Brotherhood Dues.	Total Disciplinary Bene- volences.....	Anti-Saloon League....	Christ Hospital.....	Local.....	Total Benevolences.....	Support of Conf. Claim- ants.....	Sup. of Bishops (Episcopal Fund).....	General Conf. Expenses...	Grand Total.....	
	BOARD OF FOR. MIS'IONS.		Bo'rd of Home Mis. & Ch. Ex.				BOARD OF EDUCATION	Conf. Educational Collection	Sunday Schools (Total)	Annual Conference Investments	Bd. of Conf. Claim- ants (Chicago)	Cash.....			Supplies.....															
	Church.....	Special Gifts.	Sunday Schools.....	Special Gifts.	Church.....											Children's Fund.														Public Educa- tional Coll'n.
ASHLAND DISTRICT.																														
Ashland: First Church.....	\$1300	\$40	\$60	\$95	\$50	\$49	\$41	\$10	\$27	\$11	\$5	\$110	\$15	\$309	\$255	\$13				\$2395	\$415	\$203	\$176	\$3189	\$40	\$31	\$11	\$3271		
Second Church.....	10			7		5	2		4		3		1	2	2	1				37				37	4	3		44		
Advance.....	7		5		7		\$15													35			6	41	1	1		43		
Blaine.....																														
Catlettsburg.....	10		13	15	13	4		5	3	2	10		1	45				2	\$1	125	5		5	135	15	19		168		
East Point.....																														
Elk Horn and Hellier.....	13					2	5				2								1	23				23				23		
Fullerton.....	5			5			3	1		3	2	1	1	3	1					25				25	4	2	2	33		
Gallup.....	1			1		1				1				11						16			50	66	1	1	1	69		
Greenup.....	1			1			1			1			1	1	1					8				8	1	1		10		
Louisa.....	7			4	1	2	2	1	1				3	5	1			1		29			101	130	4	3	2	139		
Olive Hill.....	2			2			2				1			6	328					342	11		10	363				363		
Paintsville.....	15				5	2	3		2		6	4		2	6			1		48				48	10	3		61		
Pikeville.....	(																												)	
Rush.....																														
Russell.....	4		12	3	12	1		2	2		2		2	70						108				108	16	16	5	145		
Salt Lick.....	6			7											2					15				15	5	3		23		
Salyersville.....	3			3		1	2		1		5	4	1	2	3			1		26				26		2	2	30		
Tolesboro.....	4		5	4	5			9			1			1						29				29	8	8		45		
Turkey.....				6																6				6				6		
Valley.....	( 10			6			1	1	1		1		1	1	1			1		24				24	1	1	1	27		
Vanceburg.....	10		10	10	3		2							7				1		43	28	10		81	5	4		90		
Wallingford.....	8																			8				8				8		
Total.....	\$1416	\$40	\$105	\$169	\$96	\$67	\$59	\$28	\$23	\$40	\$28	\$34	\$115	\$27	\$468	\$596		\$21		\$3342	\$459	\$213	\$348	\$4362	\$115	\$98	\$24	\$4598		

# COVINGTON DISTRICT.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.																				OTHER BENEVOLENCES.				OTHER ITEMS.						
	MISSIONS.				Freedmen's Aid Society...	EDUCATION		BOARD OF S. SCH'LS. Church.....	CONF. CLAIM'TS. Annual Conference Bd. of Conf. Claimants (Chicago)	Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	W. H. M. SOCIETY.		American Bible Society...	City Missionary or Church Extension Society	Central Office Expenses, Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Christ Hospital	Anti-Saloon League	Local	Total Benevolences	Support of Conf. Claimants	Sup. of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conf. Expenses...	Grand Total					
	BOARD OF FOR. MIS'IONS.		Bo'RD OF HOME MIS. & CH. EX.			BOARD OF EDUCATION Public Educational Coll'n	Conf. Educational Collection					Cash	Supplies																		
	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church																							Special Gifts	Sunday Schools			
COVINGTON DISTRICT.																															
Asbury	\$5			\$4		\$2	\$2		\$5		\$5		\$26					\$24	\$19			\$63	\$5	\$2	\$3	\$73					
Augusta	2		\$6		\$9	\$2	2		1		\$8	\$20	\$3	87	\$1		\$1	22	6			22	8	4	2	36					
Bellevue	5		33	15		2	5	\$5	\$10	6								241				247	10	17	2	276					
Centerville	10			10		2	3											26				26	10		2	38					
Covington: Main Street	3		11	3	11	3	7	4		13		15	1	4	4		1	81			\$8	89	8	5	2	104					
Shinkle	12		35	23	34	5	2	9		7	7	30	1	11	4		1	184	34		52	270	15		2	287					
Trinity	20		28	20	28	5	5	25	15	5	5	55	5	62	\$35			316	20		100	436	20	20		476					
Union	68	\$64	70	69	\$69	45	10	26	4	46	10	1657	5	195	22		15	2378	1370	\$14	535	4697	78	32	5	4812					
West Covington			5		4		2		5		10							26			4	32	10	2	1	45					
Dayton	1		5	2		1	1	1	1		2	1	2	53	2		1	88	20			108	8	2	1	119					
East Maysville	8			7			2		5			5						27				27				27					
Germantown	10			16		6	12	3	5	4	1		1	17			1	77		4	43	124	8	8	2	142					
Grant and Jonesville	4			4		2	2							1				13				13	3			16					
Harrison	35		3	25		12	8	5	15	8		6	5	46	15		3	196				196	20	8	3	227					
Ludlow	30	15	17	30		15	10	2	10		19	5	1	153			4	312	1	4	14	331	15	9	3	358					
Maysville	15			15		12		6		13				16	1			106	8	36	76	226	2	1		229					
Mt. Olivet	20			12		5		2		5		10		73	5		1	133				133	12	6	2	153					
Newport	35		25	25		20	10	15	12	13	8	10	10	4	121	87		418	205	6		629	50	12	9	700					
Sardis	5			2		2			5	13			5					34			21	55	20	5	2	82					
Total	\$288	\$79	\$238	\$282	\$69	\$169	\$124	\$69	\$94	\$79	\$74	\$138	\$45	1827	\$26	\$650	\$356	\$35	\$37	\$15	\$25	\$2	\$4722	\$1683	\$66	\$853	\$7724	\$302	\$133	\$41	\$8200



# LEXINGTON DISTRICT.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.																			OTHER BENEVOLENCES.			OTHER ITEMS.								
	MISSIONS.					Freedmen's Aid Society..	EDUCATION		BOARD OF S. SCH'LS.		CONF. CLAIM'TS.		Church Temperance Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	W. H. M. SOCIETY.		American Bible Society.	City Missionary or Church Extension Society.	Methodist Brotherhood Dues.	Total Disciplinary Benevolences.	Christ Hospital.	Anti-Saloon League.	Local.	Total Benevolences.	Support of Conf. Claimants.	Sup. of Bishops (Episcopal Fund).	General Conf. Expenses..	Grand Total.			
	BOARD OF FOR. MIS'IONS.		BO'RD OF HOME MIS. & CH. EX.				BOARD OF EDUCATION	Conf. Educational Collection.	Sunday Schools (Total)	Annual Conference Investments.	Bd. of Conf. Claimants (Chicago)	Cash.			Supplies.																
	Church.	Special Gifts.	Sunday Schools.	Church.	Special Gifts.											Children's Fund.													Public Educational Coll'n.		
LEXINGTON DISTRICT.																															
Albany and Wayne.		\$96	\$9			\$9			\$500	\$6	\$8		\$43							\$671			\$200	\$871	\$15	\$10	\$3	\$899			
Barbourville.																															
Barbourville Circuit.																															
Bethel Ridge	\$2							\$5	15		2									24			24	3	2		29				
Berea	30	78	10	\$25	12	\$3	\$1	4	2	3	\$2	4	\$1		\$1		\$1		\$2	179		12	191	8	2	2	2203				
Booneville.																															
Burning Springs.	1																			1			1				1				
College Hill.	10					2	4			2										28			28	4	2		34				
Corbin.												2								12			12				12				
Gradyville.																															
Harlan.	2				2		3	25			2			\$1	1	1		1		37		89	126	1	1	1	129				
Harlan Circuit.	5				5		1								1					13			13	1	1		15				
Holly Hill.																															
Kings Mountain.		7			7						1	1								16			16				16				
Lexington.	103	27	10	103	10	10	3	9	9	4	2		2	169	295					756			756	100	31		887				
London.																															
Middlesboro.	16		9	16	9		1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	10		1			73			141		4		218				
Middleburg.	5			10			3										1			19	\$5	11	35	8	4	4	51				
Monica.																															
Nicholasville.	6			6		2	1					3		2	2					22			22	6	2	2	32				
Oil Center.																								1			1				
Pineville.																															
Riley.																															
Science Hill.		5			\$5	2	2				3									17		14	31	4	4	1	40				
Somerset.			10			3	2				2	5	1	2	93		1			129		2	255	10	3	3	271				
West London.	1				5															9			9		1		10				
Williamsburg.												1			8					9			9				9				
Woodbine.	1			3	5									14						18			18	1	1		20				
Total.	\$182	\$213	\$48	\$190		\$62	\$22	\$11	\$24	\$554	\$15	\$25	\$16	\$51	\$7	\$206	\$393		\$6		\$3		\$2033		\$7	\$591	\$2631	\$162	\$68	\$16	\$2877

# LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.																			OTHER BENEVOLENCES.				OTHER ITEMS.							
	MISSIONS.					Freedmen's Aid Society.	EDUCATION		BOARD OF S. SCH'LS.		CONF. CLAIM'TS.		Church Temperance Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	W. H. M. SOCIETY.		American Bible Society.	City Missionary or Church Extension Society.	Central Office Expenses, Epworth League.	Methodist Brotherhood Dues.	Total Disciplinary Benevolences.	Christ Hospital.	Anti-Saloon League.	Local.	Total Benevolences.	Support of Conf. Claimants.	Sup. of Bishops (Episcopal Fund).	General Conf. Expenses.	Grand Total.		
	BOARD OF FOR. MIS'IONS.		Bo'RD OF HOME MIS. & CH. EX.				BOARD OF EDUCATION	Conf. Educational Collection.	Church.	Sunday Schools (Total).	Annual Conference Investments.	Bd. of Conf. Claimants (Chicago).			Supplies.	Cash.															
	Church.	Special Gifts.	Church.	Special Gifts.	Sunday Schools.																									Children's Fund.	Public Educational Coll'n.
	Church.	Special Gifts.	Sunday Schools.	Church.	Special Gifts.																										
LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.																															
Arlington.	\$2			\$1	\$2				\$1	\$1										\$7				\$7	\$2	\$3		\$12			
Beaver Dam.	2			2																7				7	1			8			
Bowling Green.	5			20																69		\$10		79	5	5	\$5	94			
Bowling Green Circuit.	18			8	8	3														49				49	8	5		62			
Deer Lick.				12																12				12	3	2		17			
Dexterville.	1			1																11				11	1	1		13			
Earlington.	5			5																16				16	5			21			
Grahampton.	4			3																10				10	3	2	1	16			
Greenville Circuit.	2			2																6				6	1			7			
Hardinsburg.	5			5																125				125	3	3	1	132			
Hickory Grove.	2			2																4				4	8	2	2	16			
Hopkinsville Circuit.	3			3																6				6	2	2		10			
Leitchfield.	2			2																7				7	1	1		9			
Louisville: Epworth.	10	\$10		10																56				56	22	12		90			
Trinity.	125	\$26	79	100																877				877	72	5	25	1083			
Wesley.	4			3																34				39	6	4	2	51			
Morgantown.																				5				5				5			
Munfordsville.	( 2			2																5				5	1			6			
No Creek.	3			4																12				12	3	1		16			
Onton.				5																44				44				44			
Owensboro.																															
Paducah.	( 4	200																		222				222	4	6	6	238			
Sacramento.	( 2			2																6				6	3	2		11			
Scottsville.	11			10																64				64				64			
Summit.	7			6																13				13		4		17			
Tompkinsville.	2			2																6				6	2			8			
Zion.	( 3			10																17				17	8	6		31			
Total	\$224	\$226	\$95	\$220		\$106	\$30	\$26	\$18	\$12	\$5	\$34	\$9	\$39	\$7	\$336	\$222	\$60	\$10	\$4	\$1	\$2	\$1690		\$44	\$35	\$1769	\$159	\$71	\$42	\$2081

# RECAPITULATION.—CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT.

NAME OF DISTRICTS	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES.																				OTHER BENEVOLENCES.				OTHER ITEMS.							
	MISSIONS.					Freedmen's Aid Society..	EDUCATION			BOARD OF S. SCH'LS. Church.....	CONF. CLAIM'TS. Annual Conference Investments Bd. of Conf. Claimants (Chicago)...	Church Temperance Society.....	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.....	W. H. M. SOCIETY. Cash.....	Supplies.....	American Bible Society...	City Missionary or Church Extension Society.....	Central Office Expenses, Epworth League.....	Methodist Brotherhood Dues.....	Total Disciplinary Benevolences.....	Christ Hospital.....	Anti-Saloon League.....	Local.....	Total Benevolences.....	Support of Conf. Claimants.....	Sup. of Bishops (Episcopal Fund).....	General Conf. Expenses...	Grand Total.....				
							BOARD OF	CONF. EDUCATIONAL	BOARD OF																							
	BOARD OF FOR. MIS'IONS. Church.....	Sunday Schools.....	Special Gifts.....	Church.....	Special Gifts.....		Sunday Schools.....	Public Educational Coll'n	Children's Fund.....																				Collection.....	Church.....		
Ashland District.....	\$1416	\$40	\$105	\$169	.....	\$96	\$67	\$59	\$28	\$23	\$40	\$28	\$34	\$115	\$27	\$468	\$596	.....	\$21	.....	\$2	.....	\$3342	\$213	\$459	\$348	\$4362	\$115	\$98	\$24	\$4598	
Covington District.....	288	79	238	282	\$69	169	124	69	94	79	74	138	45	1827	26	650	356	\$35	37	\$15	25	\$2	4722	1683	66	853	7724	302	133	41	8200	
Lexington District.....	182	213	48	190	5	62	22	11	24	554	15	25	16	51	7	206	393	.....	6	.....	3	.....	2033	.....	7	591	2631	162	68	16	2877	
Louisville District.....	224	226	95	220	.....	106	30	26	18	12	5	34	9	39	7	336	222	60	10	4	1	2	1690	.....	44	35	1757	159	71	42	2081	
Total this year.....	\$2110	\$558	\$486	\$861	\$74	\$433	\$243	\$165	\$164	\$668	\$134	\$225	\$104	2032	\$67	\$1660	1567	\$95	\$74	\$19	\$31	\$4	11787	\$1896	\$576	\$1827	\$16474	\$738	\$370	\$123	\$17756	
Total last year.....	1031	345	530	864	110	422	329	127	194	2100	172	169	77	293	68	1997	1000	282	106	19	29	3	10273	1072	346	3942	15633	790	417	153	16993	
Increase.....	\$1079	\$213	.....	.....	.....	\$11	.....	\$38	.....	\$30	\$1432	.....	\$56	\$27	1739	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2	\$1	\$1514	\$824	\$230	.....	\$841	.....	.....	.....	\$763
Decrease.....	.....	.....	\$44	\$3	\$36	.....	\$86	.....	\$30	\$1432	\$38	.....	.....	.....	\$1	\$337	.....	\$187	\$32	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2115	.....	\$52	\$47	\$30	.....	

# ASHLAND DISTRICT.—SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.												
	COLLECTIONS FOR THE BOARD OF S. S. SCHOOLS.												
	Church.....	Sunday School.....	Ten per cent of S. S. Missionary Offering.....										
Sunday Schools .....	Officers & Teachers ..	Scholars of all Grades	Members in the Home Department.....	Children on the Cradle Roll.....	Total Enrollment in all Departments, including Cradle Roll, Home Department, Officers, Teachers, & Scholars .....	Average Attendance of all Grades .....	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.....	Scholars, including the Home Department, who are Church Members or Probationers.....	Members of Sunday School Converted During the Year.....	Sunday School Expenses: Les. Leaves, Books, etc.....			
ASHLAND DISTRICT.													
Ashland: First Church.....	1	63	900	125	150	1153	495	63	600	90	\$750	\$27	\$11
Second Church.....	1	13	200			200	151	13	100	30	83	4	
Advance.....	3	25	270			270	80		135	28	100		
Blaine.....	3	21	210			201	150	18					)
Catlettsburg.....	1	18	128	15	18	179	85	18	65		74	3	
East Point.....	5	21				176	140	18		9	23		
Elkhorn and Hellier.....	2	8	115		30	145	115	5	50	17	30		
Fullerton.....	4	23	235			235	200	22	215	25	75		\$3
Gallup.....	5	23				300		23		50	30		1
Greenup.....	4	20	100	325	50	325	225	20	100	85	100		
Louisa.....	1	16	125	23	10	174	70	13	60	12	82		1
Olive Hill.....	1	11	167			167	92	11		11	43		1
Paintsville.....	1	13	235		15	250	125	13	200	30	80		6
Pikeville.....	1	8				80							)
Rush.....	4	28	160			160	80						)
Russell.....	1	17	132		12	144	90	17			113		2
Salt Lick.....	1	12	150			150	75	11			75		
Salversville.....	4	30	215	29	53	300	215	27	120	40	39	1	
Tolesboro.....	4	20	225			225	175	20	225	60	40		1
Turkey.....	3	12	72			72							)
Valley.....	3	20	180			180							
Vanceburg.....	3	30	338	6	8	350	250	30	20	15	166	2	
Wallingford.....	3	24	100			100	75	20	50		30		
Total this year.....	59	486	4257	523	346	5545	2868	362	1940	502	\$1933	\$37	\$8
Total last year.....	57	512		174	377	1091	2807	377	1091	297	1484	29	12
Increase.....	2			349		4458	61		849	205	\$449	\$8	
Decrease.....		24			31			15					\$4

# COVINGTON DISTRICT.—SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.												
	COLLECTIONS FOR THE BOARD OF S. S. SCHOOLS.											Ten per cent of S. S. Missionary Offering.	
	Church.....	Sunday School	Sunday School Expenses: Les. Leaves, Books, etc.....	Members of Sunday School Converted During the Year...	Scholars, including the Home Department, who are Church Members or Probationers.....	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.....	Average Attendance of all Grades .....	Total Enrollment in all Departments, including Cradle Roll, Home Department, Officers, Teachers, & Scholars .....	Children on the Cradle Roll .....	Members in the Home Department.....	Scholars of all Grades		Officers & Teachers..
COVINGTON DISTRICT.													
Asbury.....			\$48			14	70	110			110	14	2
Augusta.....			90			19	150	225			225	19	2
Bellevue.....			245		133	20	150	285	25	13			1
Centerville.....								90					2
Covington: Main Street.....							90	247	20	33			1
Shinkle.....							169	331	20	70			1
Trinity.....							138	376	35	55			1
Union.....							200	484	25	50			1
West Covington.....							128	195	28	18			1
Dayton.....							120	125	5	25			1
East Maysville.....							200	545	50				5
Germantown.....							130	383	50	20			5
Grant and Jonesville.....							100	180	20	10			4
Harrison.....							250	395					7
Ludlow.....							140	275	30				1
Maysville.....							121	196	20				1
Mt. Olivet.....							180	290	24				5
Newport.....							249	501	35	20			1
Sardis.....							300	480	15				5
Total this year.....													47
Total last year.....													43
Increase.....													4
Decrease.....													

# LEXINGTON DISTRICT.—SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

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NAMES OF CHARGES.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.											COLLECTIONS FOR THE BOARD OF S. SCHOOLS.			
	Sunday Schools .....	Officers & Teachers..	Scholars of all Grades	Members in the Home Department.....	Children on the Cradle Roll .....	Total Enrollment in all Departments including Cradle Roll, Home Department, Officers, Teachers, & Scholars .....	Average Attendance of all Grades .....	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.....	Scholars, including the Home Department, who are Church Members or Probationers.....	Members of Sunday School Converted During the Year...	Sunday School Expenses: Less Leaves, Books, etc.....	Church .....	Sunday School	Ten per cent of S. S. Missionary Offering.	
LEXINGTON DISTRICT.															
Albany and Wayne.....	( 4	16	250			250	200							)	
Barbourville.....	1	15	200		20	235	100	15		50	\$75	\$6	\$6	\$2	
Barbourville Circuit.....	3	19	195			195	170	19		18	16				
Bethel Ridge.....	4	36			25	415	280	36		15	75		5		
Berea.....	2	25	175	9	26	235	165	25	125	60	76	2	2	1	
Booneville.....	( 2	18	100			100	60	15						)	
Burning Springs.....	(														
College Hill.....	1	7	63			70	45	6	33	10	9	2			
Corbin.....	3	15	130			160	145			5					
Gradyville.....	( 4	36	60			250	40						2	)	
Harlan.....	1	10	100			100	60	6			40				
Harlan Circuit.....	3	15	180			195	45	15	85	4	25				
Holly Hill.....	2	14	193		23	207	128	12		3	8				
Kings Mountain.....	4	30	576			606	346	30		20	67		1		
Lexington.....	1	15	175		25	200	90	15	100	10	75	4		2	
London.....	1	12	115			115	70	12	25	5	50				
Middlesboro.....	1	12	160	20	20	207	150	12	36	6	60	1		2	
Middleburg.....	4	20	138	12		200	75	12	150		14				
Monica.....	( 2	12	30			60	20							)	
Nicholasville.....	3	20	400			400	150	20	245	33	38				
Oil Center.....	1	8	50			50	37	8			12				
Pineville.....	1	9	125			125	80	9	125						
Riley.....	1	8	30			30	22								
Science Hill.....	4	30		6	14	200	164	30		5	63				
Somerset.....	1	18	179			197	124	12		6	150				
West London.....	5		160			160	120	32		5	24				
Williamsburg.....	2	15	175			175	125	15		25	38				
Woodbine.....	1	10	150			160	100	10	50				1		
Total this year .....	62	439	4109	47	153	5297	3111	366	974	280	775	\$15	\$16	\$7	
Total last year .....	73	511		23	99	5296	3354	461	366	293	764	30	18	8	
Increase.....				24	54	1			608		11				
Decrease.....	11	72					243	95		13		\$15	\$2	\$1	

# LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.—SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

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NAMES OF CHARGES.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.												COLLECTIONS FOR THE BOARD OF S. S. SCHOOLS.			
	Sunday Schools .....	Officers & Teachers..	Scholars of all Grades	Members in the Home Department.....	Children on the Cradle Roll .....	Total Enrollment in all Departments, including Cradle Roll, Home Department Officers, Teachers, & Scholars .....	Average Attendance of all Grades .....	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.....	Scholars, including the Home Department, who are Church Members or Probationers.....	Members of Sunday School Converted During the Year...	Sunday School Expenses: Les. Leaves, Books, etc.....	Church.....	Sunday School	Ten per cent of S. S. Missionary Offering..		
LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.																
Arlington.....	1	6	35			80	11	6	28	1	\$12					
Beaver Dam.....	3	18				150	105	15		6				\$1		
Bowling Green, First Church.....	1	9	130		23	162	70	9	52	3	88			5		
Bowling Green Circuit.....	3	24	176			200	125	22	150	60	30			2		
Deer Lick.....	2	7	100			125				6	12					
Dexterville.....	2	11	120			120	75	8		1	3					
Earlington.....	4	25	175			175	125	25		10	55					
Grayhampton.....	4	23				250										
Greenville Circuit.....	3	17				120	75	17								
Hardinsburg.....	4	25	300		30	355	180	25		20	30	\$1				
Hickory Grove.....	3	17	150			150	106	17	87	2	16					
Leitchfield.....	4	30	300			334		30	270	15						
Louisville: Epworth.....	2	17	150			167	124	17	75	28	75			\$5		
Trinity.....	1	28	224	30	18	300	147	28		10	159			17		
Wesley.....	1	17	150	30	23	220	118	17	60	19	182	2	1			
Hopkinsville Circuit.....	4	20	100			210		20		3						
Morgantown.....	4	12	150			150	90			12						
Munfordsville.....	( 3	30	150				90							)		
No Creek.....	4	20	355			355	100	20								
Onton.....	3	20	250	10	12	272	150	20	50	20	50	2	1			
Owensboro: Trinity.....	1	8	38			38	15	8	38		12					
Paducah.....	( 1	12	160			172	90	12	20	10	45			)		
Sacramento.....	( 2	13	85			98	50	12	24		12			)		
Scottsville.....	4	32	255	27	17	299				15	64					
Summit.....	3	16	200			216	115	16		15						
Tomkinsville.....	2	12	110			299	65	12								
Zion.....	( 2	14	75			75	50	12						)		
Total this year.....	71	483	3938	97	123	5092	2071	368	854	256	\$845	\$5	\$10	\$22		
Total last year.....	78	528	5323	4120	159	5323	2985	441	1580	277	1122	14	9	24		
Increase.....													\$1			
Decrease.....	7	45	1385	23	36	231	914	73	726	21	\$277	\$9		\$2		

# RECAPITULATION.—SUNDAY SCHOOL STATISTICS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	SUNDAY SCHOOLS.												
	COLLECTIONS FOR THE BOARD OF S. SCHOOLS.												Ten per cent of S. S. Missionary Offering.
	Church.....	Sunday School											
	Sunday School Expenses: Les. Leaves, Books, etc.....	Members of Sunday School Converted During the Year...	Scholars, including the Home Department, who are Church Members or Probationers.....	Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.....	Average Attendance of all Grades .....	Total Enrollment in all Departments, including Cradle Roll, Home Department, Officers, Teachers, & Scholars .....	Children on the Cradle Roll .....	Members in the Home Department.....	Scholars of all Grades	Officers & Teachers..	Sunday Schools .....		
Ashland District.....	\$1933	502	1940	362	2868	5249	346	523	4257	468	56	\$8	\$20
Covington District.....	2264	336	1660	441	2885	5703	402	314	4677	510	47	75	39
Lexington District.....	775	280	974	366	3111	5927	153	47	4109	439	62	15	7
Louisville District.....	845	256	854	368	2071	5092	123	97	3938	483	71	5	22
Total .....	\$5817	1374	5428	1537	10935	21971	1024	981	16981	1900	236	\$132	\$88



## MISSIONARY APPROPRIATIONS.

ASHLAND DISTRICT.			
Ashland, Second Church.....	\$100	Gradyville.....	\$50
Advance.....	100	Harlan Circuit.....	100
Blaine.....	40	Whitley City.....	150
East Point.....	40	Kings Mountain.....	50
Elkhorn.....	60	London.....	150
Fullerton.....	40	Monica.....	100
Gallup.....	40	Riley.....	100
Greenup.....	40	West London.....	50
Olive Hill.....	40	Pulaski.....	50
Pike Circuit.....	50	Williamsburg.....	75
Rush.....	40		
Martin.....	40	Total.....	\$1,325
Valley.....	40		
Ivington.....	40	LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.	
Total.....	\$710	Arlington.....	\$50
		Beaver Dam.....	60
COVINGTON DISTRICT.		Bowling Green.....	100
Asbury.....	\$70	Deer Lick.....	40
Main Street.....	60	Dexterville.....	30
West Covington.....	60	Grahampton.....	40
Centerville.....	40	Greenville Circuit.....	40
Germantown.....	40	Hardinsburg.....	120
Grant.....	40	Hopkinsville Circuit.....	60
Harrison.....	50	Leitchfield.....	60
Headquarters.....	40	Louisville, Epworth.....	120
Total.....	\$400	Morgantown.....	50
		Mumfordsville.....	40
LEXINGTON DISTRICT.		No Creek.....	50
Albany and Wayne.....	\$100	Owensboro.....	100
Barbourville Circuit.....	50	Paducah.....	70
Booneville.....	100	Sacramento.....	40
Burning Springs.....	50	Scottsville.....	60
Corbin.....	150	Summit.....	40
		Tompkinsville.....	44
		West View.....	100
		Total.....	\$1,314

JOINT REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS AND PREACHERS' RELIEF ASSOCIATION

No.	NAME	ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT	Claim	Board of Stewards	Preachers' Relief	Total	To WHOM PAID	Years Effective.
1	Boering, A.	Louisville	\$430 00	\$128 00	\$185 00	\$313 00	Self	43
2	Bradford, W. G.	Augusta	210 00	109 00	90 00	199 00	Self	21
3	Childers, W. H.	Dayton, Ohio	230 00	108 00	99 00	207 00	G. W. Bunton	23
4	Cook, Mrs. J. M. *	Waynesburg	105 00	58 00	45 00	103 00	W. H. Davenport	21
5	Crain, W. H.	Butler	210 00	66 00	90 00	156 00	Self	21
6	Ebright, Mrs. P. H. *	Science Hill	130 00	20 00	56 00	76 00	W. H. Davenport	26
7	Fitzgerald, Mrs. A.	Cumminsville	40 00	74 00	17 00	91 00	W. H. Davenport	8
8	Godbey, John	Science Hill	250 00	65 00	108 00	173 00	L. R. Godbey	25
9	Hanks, Mrs. L.	Winchester	55 00	30 00		30 00	A. L. Godbey	11
10	Hayes, Mrs. J. H.	Central City	50 00	85 00	22 00	107 00	E. L. Shepard	10
11	Hughes, Mrs. Bird	Mt. Olivet	95 00	52 00	41 00	93 00	J. R. Howes	19
12	Hughes, Edwin	Mt. Olivet	40 00	30 00		30 00	J. R. Howes	
13	Hughes, Wm.	Mt. Olivet	40 00	30 00		30 00	J. R. Howes	
14	Humphrey, Mrs. M. A.	Beda	75 00	45 00	32 00	77 00	E. L. Shepard	15
15	Hunt, W. R.		50 00	90 00	22 00	112 00	T. M. Anderson	5
16	Kelley, S. F.	Barbourville	210 00	106 00	90 00	196 00	Self	21
17	Kerr, D. F.		190 00	59 00	82 00	141 00	Self	19
18	Murphy, Mrs. S.	Vanceburg	55 00	33 00	24 00	57 00	E. B. Hill	11
19	Northcott, H. C.	Newport	250 00	145 00	107 00	252 00	Self	25
20	Oliver, J. M.	Alden, Kan.	190 00	54 00	82 00	136 00	G. W. Bunton	19
21	Perryman, J. B.		200 00	35 00	86 00	121 00	E. L. Shepard	20
22	Ramey, Mrs. H. J.	Salt Lick	125 00	70 00	54 00	124 00	John Cheap	25
23	Riffe, Cyrus	Portsmouth, Ohio	290 00	88 00	125 00	213 00	Self	29
24	Smith, Mrs. C. S. *	Bowling Green	60 00	125 00		125 00	W. H. Davenport	12
25	Stump, C. T.	Boreing	210 00	66 00	90 00	156 00	F. W. Harrop	21
26	Taylor, Mrs. J. S.	Middleburg	110 00	26 00	47 00	73 00	T. B. Ashley	22
27	Walsh, J. D.	Chattanooga, Tenn.	390 00	144 00	168 00	312 00	Self	39
28	Willis, V. T.	Somerset	350 00	130 00	150 00	280 00	F. W. Harrop	35
29	Whiteman, Mrs. B. F.	Science Hill	120 00	52 00	52 00	104 00	L. R. Godbey	24
30	Zimmerman, J. W.	Dayton	210 00	66 00	90 00	156 00	Self	21
		Total	\$4970 00	\$2189 00	\$2054 00	\$4243 00		391

\*These amounts were placed in charge of W. H. Davenport for monthly distribution.

Amount distributed to claimants..... \$4,243 00  
Amount allowed for postage..... 2 00  
Total..... \$4,245 00

W. H. DAVENPORT, Chairman.  
F. W. HARROP, Secretary.  
Board of Stewards.

JOHN A. JOHNSON, Treasurer.  
F. W. HARROP, Secretary.  
Preachers' Relief Association.

## ANNUAL REPORT PREACHERS' RELIEF ASSOCIATION.

JOHN A. JOHNSON, Treasurer.

**Endowment Fund.**

1914.		RECEIPTS.	
Sept. 1.	Balance on hand . . . . .		\$215 74
Sept. 7.	G. W. Bunton, Dues, 1914 . . . . .	\$5 00	
Sept. 7.	G. W. Bunton, Subscriptions . . . . .	40 00	
Sept. 9.	F. W. Harrop, Subscriptions, 1913-14 . . . . .	97 50	
Sept. 9.	F. W. Harrop, Dues, 1914 . . . . .	172 00	
Oct. 11.	G. W. Bunton, Subscriptions, 1914 . . . . .	80 00	
Dec. 18.	Estate W. A. Crawford Bequest . . . . .	1,506 40	
1915.			
Feb. 3.	F. W. Harrop, Subscriptions, 1914 . . . . .	56 50	
Aug. 12.	F. W. Harrop, Subscriptions, 1914 . . . . .	166 50	
Aug. 30.	G. W. Bunton, Subscriptions, 1914 . . . . .	18 15	
			2,142 05

## DISBURSEMENTS.

1914.			
Oct. 6.	3 Shares Fifth-Third National Bank Stock, \$100 . . . . .	\$546 00	
Dec. 22.	1 Lorain, Ohio, Bond, 5 %, \$1,000 . . . . .	1,028 47	
1915.			
Jan. 6.	1 Daytona, Florida, 5 %, \$500 . . . . .	500 35	
Aug. 12.	F. W. Harrop, Expenses . . . . .	30 00	
		\$2,104 82	
Sept. 1.	Balance on hand . . . . .	252 97	
			\$2,357 79 \$2,357 79

**Endowment Investments.**

## BONDS.

2 American Book Co., \$1,000 each, Jan. and July . . . . .	\$2,000 00	
9 C. H. & D. Ry. Co., \$1,000 each, Jan. and July . . . . .	9,000 00	
5 City of Covington, \$100 each, Feb. and Aug. . . . .	500 00	
1 City of Covington, \$500, Jan. and July . . . . .	500 00	
4 City of Covington, \$1,000 each, Feb. and Aug. . . . .	4,000 00	
1 Kansas City Ry. & Light Co., \$1,000, May and Nov. . . . .	1,000 00	
1 So. Cov. & Cin. St. Ry. Co., \$500, Jan. & July . . . . .	500 00	
1 Lorain, Ohio, \$1,000, March and Sept. . . . .	1,000 00	
1 Daytona, Florida, \$500, Jan. and July . . . . .	500 00	
		\$19,000 00

## STOCKS.

6 Shares National Bank of Cynthiana . . . . .	\$100 00	\$600 00	
5 Shares Mt. Sterling National Bank . . . . .	100 00	500 00	
6 Shares German National Bank, Cov. . . . .	100 00	600 00	
10 Shares First National Bank, Cov. . . . .	100 00	1,000 00	
120 Shares National Lead Co., Pfd. . . . .	100 00	12,000 00	
12 Shares Proctor & Gamble, Pfd. . . . .	100 00	1,200 00	
3 Shares Fifth-Third National Bank, Cin. . . . .	100 00	300 00	
			16,200 00

## NOTES.

Northcott & Story.....	503 00
Total.....	<u>\$35,703 00</u>

## INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS.

4 Dividends, National Lead Co.....	\$840 00
4 Dividends, Proctor & Gamble Co.....	96 00
2 Dividends, German National Bank, Covington.....	42 00
2 Dividends, National Bank of Cynthiana.....	72 00
2 Dividends, First National Bank, Covington.....	80 00
4 Dividends, Fifth-Third National Bank, Cincinnati..	30 00
1 Dividend, Mt. Sterling National Bank, Mt. Sterling..	50 00
Interest, Kansas City Ry. & Light Co. Bond.....	25 00
Interest, American Book Co. Bonds.....	120 00
Interest, So. Cov. & Cin. St. Ry. Co. Bond.....	30 00
Interest, City of Covington Bonds.....	200 00
Interest, C. H. & D. Ry. Co. Bonds.....	405 00
Interest, Lorain, Ohio, Bond.....	25 00
Interest, Daytona, Florida, Bond.....	12 50
Interest, Northcott & Story Note.....	30 18
	<u>\$2,057 68</u>

JOHN A. JOHNSON, Treasurer.

Covington, Ky., August 31, 1915.

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the securities of the Preachers' Relief Association, and find them as represented in the above exhibit.

Covington, Ky., September 1, 1915.

F. W. HARROP.

GEO. W. BUNTON.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

## THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE KENTUCKY ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

C. B. NORDEMAN, Treasurer.

## Statement Showing Endowment August 31, 1915.

## NON-PRODUCTIVE—

Bills receivable.....	\$100 00
Speed Cemetery.....	250 00
Union College Real Estate.....	89,119 65
Union College Furnishings.....	9,001 55
Union College Laboratory.....	1,925 80
Union College Electrical Plant.....	3,072 42
Sandy Valley Seminary.....	4,000 00
Barbourville Student Loan.....	583 52
Robt. Callahan School Real Estate.....	5,000 00
	<u>\$113,052 94</u>

## PRODUCTIVE—

Kenyon Building.....	\$208,000 00	
Louisville Cement Company Stock.....	35,000 00	
Louisville Hotel Company Stock.....	6,506 00	
Louisville Bridge Company Stock.....	14,000 00	
First National Bank of Covington, Ky., Stock...	100 00	
Catlettsburg Property.....	6,000 00	
Seelbach Realty Company Stock.....	20,000 00	
Kentucky Iron, Coal, and Manufacturing Company Stock.....	100 00	
		<hr/> 289,706 00
Total Gross Endowment.....		\$402,758 94

## Receipts and Disbursements Year Ending August 31, 1915.

## RECEIPTS—

Kenyon Building.....	\$1,840 00
Louisville Cement Company.....	1,400 00
Louisville Hotel Company.....	302 94
Louisville Bridge Company.....	1,000 00
First National Bank of Covington, Ky.....	8 00
Seelbach Realty Company.....	1,200 00
Kentucky Iron, Coal, and Manufacturing Company.....	8 00
W. H. Carp (Catlettsburg Property).....	524 14
Kentucky Donations.....	14 50
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Total Earnings, 1915.....	\$6,297 58

## DISBURSEMENTS—

General Expense.....	\$107 53
Traveling Expense.....	478 26
Interest.....	1,856 79
Insurance.....	620 06
Union College—1912-1913.....	\$575 16
1913-1914.....	19 00
1914-1915.....	6,964 14
1915-1916.....	325 00
Repairs and Supplies.....	1,109 26
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	8,992 56
Robt. Callahan School.....	906 70
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Total Expenditures.....	\$12,961 90

# Reports of Committees.

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## AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

We as a Conference recognize the American Bible Society as indispensable to the propagation of the gospel and the spread of Christianity in this and all lands. Because of its beneficence and helpfulness to all the evangelical movements, it demands the support of all our churches. We therefore pledge our Conference to fidelity to its interest.

E. B. HILL, Chairman.  
W. H. MUNSEY.

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## AUDITOR'S REPORT.

The accounts and vouchers of the District Superintendents have been examined and found to be correct.

The accounts of the Chairman of the Board of Stewards have been examined and found to be correct.

J. F. HOPKINS.

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## BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

There are many opportunities for the Christian to learn wisdom. One of the best is offered by the publications of the Methodist Book Concern. We especially recommend that the pastors work for an increase in the subscriptions to the Western Christian Advocate and all other periodicals. We urge all our pastors to use only our own Sunday-school literature. We also recommend that our pastors and laymen assist in the sale of our books published by the Book Concern. Let us always remember that the publications of the Methodist Book Concern profits come to the church and not to private individuals.

W. W. SHEPHERD,

J. T. MARTIN,

W. F. WYKOFF.

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## SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

"Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it holy."

J. G. RAGAN, Chairman.

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## BOOK CONCERN ACCOUNTS.

We note with pleasure the continued success of our Book Concern, with the increase in the dividends from year to year, made possible by the patronage of the ministers and laymen of our church. We urge the use of all our publications, and also request all our brethren who have not settled their accounts to do so at the earliest moment possible.

N. H. YOUNG, Chairman.

J. W. CANTRELL, Secretary.

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## COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

Your committee finds that there has been no District Conference in either the Ashland or Covington Districts. After examining the other two records we report that they are correct.

WILLIAM JONES.

### COMMITTEE ON EPWORTH LEAGUE.

We note with pride the splendid growth of our League work throughout the connection. A mighty army of young people are now enrolled in our Epworth and Junior Leagues.

It was a long time before the Church awakened to the great opportunities offered to the young people in the League. The League offers a splendid opportunity for training the best young people for a greater service in the Church, and places around them the very best social environment and advantages.

The League has opportunities for personal evangelism as well as team work. We recommend the observance wherever practicable of "Win-my-chum Week." That proved a great success last year wherever observed.

We also urge the free circulation of the Epworth Herald, which is the best paper for our young people. This paper has had a wide circulation throughout Methodism. May it reach every fireside that warms children!

J. M. LITTERAL.

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### EDUCATION.

It is written that "Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man." He thus became the great ideal.

It has been the mission of Methodism from the beginning to develop the four-square man. In order that men may increase in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man, the Methodist Episcopal Church has sought to establish colleges and universities that would regard these four cardinal principles in their development.

We are delighted with that which has been accomplished in the various schools and colleges connected with our Church. We look forward with confidence for the future.

Our own institution at Barbourville has marked gains in the past year. The dawn came after the darkest hour. After all the financial reverses suffered in the past few years, the college has brighter prospects than ever before. The Conference Board, together with Dr. Thomas Nicholson, have solved some of the most vexing problems that have been confronting them for the past few years. Professor Ezra T. Franklin, one of the best equipped men educationally in the State, has been secured as president of Barbourville College. The Faculty is the very best yet obtained. We are looking for a greater epoch in the history of this splendid institution. We pledge it our support, and pray that it may become a real recruiting station for our Kentucky Methodism.

EDWARD P. HALL,

S. K. HUNT,  
A. F. FELTS.

A. H. DAVIS,

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### FINANCE.

It has become apparent to many of our people that the financial methods generally followed in our churches have been defective and inadequate. The failure to measure up to the actual resources available in the contributions forthcoming has been due largely to the lack of a systematic and workable plan. It is quite evident that much larger returns could be secured if the finances of the Church were conducted in a more businesslike manner, and with the application of methods which would reach the non-contributing portion of our membership. If this were done, our preachers, many of whom receive but a meager and insufficient support, could be relieved of much financial embarrassment and be rendered more efficient through their ability to purchase books and periodicals and the opportunity to give undivided attention to their pastoral duties.

Our pastors, district superintendents, and the various benevolent interests of the Church, under a proper plan, could be adequately sustained and all the machinery of the Church rendered more effective.

We therefore recommend that a careful estimate be made in all our churches at the close of each Conference year of all necessary expenses for the coming year, together with the apportioned benevolences, and that an every-member canvass be made by which some contribution may be had from each member, and that this canvass be continued until adequate provision be made to cover the entire budget, and that these contributions be made weekly through the duplex-envelope system.

F. T. KELLEY,

W. F. WYKOFF,  
T. B. STRATTON.

E. R. OVERLEY,

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### INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE.

In the case of C. C. Moore the Committee recommends that the Conference, through his district superintendent, call the attention of Brother Moore to Paragraph 245 of the Discipline concerning the dissemination of doctrines contrary to our standards with instruction that he be admonished and advised to desist from such practice.

In the case of A. P. Wilson the Committee recommends that one year hence he be located if he does not bring up a reasonably good report of his work.

W. F. WYKOFF, Chairman.

G. N. JOLLY, Secretary.

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### FREEDMEN'S AID

The work of the Freedmen's Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church has been carried on through the past year in twenty-two schools with 372 teachers and 6,961 students. It has been a year of unusual difficulty and stress to the schools, principally caused by the war conditions in European countries.

We therefore recommend that during the coming year each pastor shall take special pains to present the work of the Freedmen's Aid Society to our congregations, and that a special effort be made to make an increase of at least ten per cent in the collections over the preceding year. If this increased amount is reached it will avoid the necessity of an indebtedness to the Society, and make possible the continuance of the moral, industrial, and intellectual work so necessary in the present stage of the development of the ten millions of people of African descent who look to Churches for a trained Christian leadership.

We further recommend that each pastor observe the Lincoln Day Anniversary, February 13, 1916, and send to the Society, 220 West Fourth Street, Cincinnati, Ohio, for a sufficient number of copies of the Lincoln Day Program to supply the members of his congregation and Sunday school. These programs are furnished free on request.

L. R. GODBEY, Secretary.

J. D. WALSH, Chairman.

EDWARD P. HALL.

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### MISSIONS.

Because of the great struggle now going on across the sea, our missions in the foreign lands have been greatly disturbed, but we know that God reigns and out of all this commotion a better and brighter day will come for our missions in the foreign fields.

"The morning cometh" and the "Isles wait for his law." We desire that our people shall contribute more liberally because of the increasing demands. Let us not only pray the Lord of harvest to send forth laborers into his vineyard, but honor the Lord with our substance, and then a nation be born in a day.

J. W. CANTRELL, Secretary.

W. H. MORRIS, Chairman.

R. T. HARPER.



### SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

The Sunday school is the foundation of the Church and hope of the Nation.

It is necessary the instructors in it be people of God, determined to do their best at all times to make it a success.

The teachers' training course of our Board of Sunday Schools is exceedingly interesting and practical. We recommend its use everywhere. We also recommend that our pastors and Sunday School Boards give renewed attention to the question of the lesson material, acknowledged by specialists to be the best to be found anywhere.

We highly appreciate the work of our Board of Sunday Schools throughout the whole Church, and we would especially emphasize their work within the bounds of our own Conference through our efficient and indefatigable Sunday-school missionary, Mr. Wm. Jones.

We urge our brethren to do their best to bring up our apportionment for the Board of Sunday Schools.

A. F. FELTS, Chairman.

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### STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The Methodist Episcopal Church in Kentucky began with the history of the State. The early pioneers of the Methodist Episcopal Church were well acquainted with Kentucky and were hopeful of the future of the Methodism in the Commonwealth. Circumstances and conditions impeded the progress of our glorious faith. We have come to a day when we rejoice at the prospects as to the future of Methodism from the more assured. The progress of our Church has been slow, and to those beyond our Conference boundaries, and even with us the question has been WHY? We have toiled and labored and labored so long under seeming difficulties and sacrifices.

We have looked upon our work as needed and Christ work, and hence the hardships endured and the sacrifices made. We have planted our churches, founded our schools and colleges that we might contribute our part in the redemption of this Commonwealth. We feel that the Methodist Episcopal Church has had and has a great mission in Kentucky. We therefore pledge ourselves to renewed interest and fidelity to the Church of our choice. We rejoice in the growing spirit of fraternity among us. We hail all laudable movements to advance the Kingdom of our Master, but the principles held dear by the fathers of Methodism and for which good men suffered and died shall be dear to us. We have committed ourselves to the great Temperance measures, to education, to better Churches, to higher ministry.

J. F. HOPKINS.

A. H. DAVIS.

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### BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

We do not exaggerate the importance of this Board when we say that no agency of the Church has a stronger claim upon our whole membership for generous support. These two interests are widely united on the budget of our benevolences.

The work of the Board is vital to the growth and prosperity of Methodism. The problem of the immigrant, the Negro, and the city, as well as our white work in the South, are dependent for their salvation upon the resources of this Society. Indeed, the Christianization of the varied elements which make up the vast population of America so far as our Methodism is a factor in this process will be greatly facilitated and hastened by a full treasury in this great benevolence.

We therefore commend this Board to the generous consideration of our people.

W. F. WYKOFF,

H. D. COOPER,  
E. R. OVERLEY.

W. F. TAYLOR,

## RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved, First, We thank God that he has permitted Bishop F. D. Leete to return and preside over our Conference again. We wish to extend to Bishop Leete our heartfelt thanks for the able, unbiased way and brotherly kindness with which he has presided over this session of our Conference. If in the Providence of God he should in the future be returned to our Conference as presiding bishop that he shall meet with a cordial and hearty welcome.

Resolved, Second, That we as members of the Kentucky Conference, profiting by the successes of the past year, pledge ourselves to greater diligence in our respective duties in the coming year.

Resolved, Third, We, the members of this Conference, extend a vote of thanks to the Ladies' Aid Societies of the federated Churches of Covington and adjacent cities for their hospitality and delightful entertainment of our Conference. Also further extend our thanks to our host and hostesses, who have so graciously opened their homes to us during our stay in their midst.

Resolved, Fourth, That all pastors use every plausible means in extending the circulations of our literature, especially our Sunday-school literature and the Western Christian Advocate.

Resolved, Fifth, That the Rev. George W. Bunton, D.D., is a brother most beloved by those who know him best: he has not only satisfied our needs, but anticipated our wishes. If he is to go out from among us to another field we shall miss his charming personality, grace of manner, grace of spirit, and grace of service. If he goes he shall go with the benedictions and benisons of the Kentucky Conference and the charges where his zealous eloquence has magnified the name of the Master.

J. M. LITTERAL,  
T. M. ANDERSON.  
W. G. BRADFORD.

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**REPORT OF J. D. WALSH, TREASURER OF THE TRUSTEES OF  
KENTUCKY CONFERENCE.**

September 6, 1914—

Dr. to Cash in Hand.....	\$281 98
Interest on Deposit to October 1, 1915.....	5 43
Total.....	<u>\$287 41</u>

## CONTRA.

September 14—

Paid to Trustees of Jonesville Church.....	100 00
Balance.....	<u>\$187 41</u>

J. D. WALSH, Treasurer.

Accounts.

# Memoirs.

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## REV. THOMAS HANFORD.

On Friday, 10.30 A. M., May 7, 1915, the Rev. Thomas Hanford, D.D., bade farewell to his family and friends in Augusta, Kentucky, and passed to his eternal reward. He was born in Devonshire, England, March 25, 1838, and educated in the schools of his home town, graduating from Mr. Spurgeon's school in London, from which he entered the ministry as a member of the Baptist Church. He came to this country in 1871 and had charge of a church in Hamilton, Ohio. He became a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and in 1877 joined the Kentucky Conference, where he at once took rank among the leading preachers and writers of his Conference.

During his active ministry of thirty-six years he served the following charges: Maysville, Sardis, Ashland, Louisa, Main Street and Shinkle Churches in Covington, and the Augusta charge, where he served the charge eight years consecutively, then returning to this charge in 1912, retiring from the active work in 1913. Since his retirement he has lived with his two daughters in Augusta. But the two years of his retirement was not without fruitful toil; he was the teacher of the Men's Bible Class, in which more than fifty men profited by his scholarly exposition of the lessons. Dr. Hanford was a student and in the quiet of his own study prepared the sermons and lectures that distinguish him as a man of power in the pulpit.

In his last illness he was patient and uncomplaining. Realizing the end was near he made all arrangements for his funeral. On the morning he passed away the writer was with him and asked if there was anything he wished. He replied, "Nothing but to die and go to rest." At 10.30 A. M. he fell asleep.

The funeral service was in charge of the pastor, while Rev. F. W. Harrop delivered the funeral oration. His remains were laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery at Mount Zion, Augusta charge.

ISAIAH CLINE.

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## MRS. SARAH JANE FIELDS.

Sarah Jane Fields, widow of the Rev. Jasper Fields, a member of the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, passed peacefully to her reward February 11, 1915. She was the daughter of Samuel and Annie Marie Baldwin, and was born in Pendleton County, Kentucky, November 14, 1844.

At the age of fourteen years she was converted to God and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, in which she was a consistent and faithful member until death. She was married to the Rev. Jasper Fields, August 20, 1868.

To him she was a helpmate indeed, sharing with him the joys, sorrows, sacrifices, and toils of the itinerant life for twenty-three years, when God called him from earthly labor to his reward in heaven.

Faithfully, patiently, uncomplainingly she bore her sufferings, which continued through a long period of months, with a Christlike fortitude; and when the weary day of life was closing her wearied spirit laid down the burden she had borne so long and, with a peace that passeth all understanding, she passed within the veil that hides the transcendent glory of the world beyond from our dull eyes.

In that great cloister's stillness and seclusion

By guardian angels led,

Safe from suffering, safe from sin's pollution—

She lives whom we call dead.

J. F. HOPKINS.

**REV. J. S. TAYLOR.**

A lonely and loving father, brother, husband, and friend passed into his rest. A life spent in service rich—so rare, so rich, that critics speak not, while truest friends give laudations. Thus it is since our brother and friend went to his reward. His going was on the afternoon of July 5, 1915. He entered this world during the month of February, 1828; he had staid eighty-seven years and five months.

One must look far to find a man so well beloved. His pastors, who knew him well, agree that in him was one most extraordinary. His loyalty to God and fidelity to the Church made him the magnet charm of the whole community. It was no idle sentiment that termed him "Father Taylor," an endearing name, used by every one most naturally. Here may we think of him as "one of the loyal eighteen," or one of the loyal, however few.

He united with the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1850, and entered the Kentucky Conference in 1866. His entire ministry was spent in this State. He retired from active service in 1888 and settled in his home at Middleburg, Ky., where he used his time assisting and encouraging the pastor and church. Furthermore, he contributed liberally to the Church and Union College.

He was twice married. Having been about one year greatly enfeebled, he was about three months bedridden when he proved and exhibited the power and grace to sustain in the direst suffering. During it all his simple trust, his tangible conceptions of the future life, and his confidence in God were most remarkable.

Like a quiet, clear, cool stream, flowing between green and shady banks, without a rimple, without wane or a murmur, he passed into the great beyond.

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**MRS. NANCY J. RIFFLE.**

Nancy J. Paris was born in Bourbon County, Kentucky, on the 11th day of February, 1845, and died on the 9th day of October, 1914, aged sixty-nine years and eight months and two days.

On the 10th day of November, 1870, she was united in marriage to Rev. Cyrus Riffle, who afterward became a member of the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. To this union there was born four children, all of whom, with their father, survive to mourn her loss.

She was a faithful wife, mother, and friend, and was a great helper and a wise counselor to her husband in all his work of the ministry. She retained, to a most remarkable degree, the exuberant spirit of youth. She often said that she did not desire to grow old, and she never did, notwithstanding her sixty-nine years. Her life was beautiful and useful, and her death was triumphant.

She peacefully passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alice Cooper, in Portsmouth, Ohio, where she had been taken for medical treatment. She was buried in the beautiful Greenlawn Cemetery of that city, but her deathless spirit lives on and lingers near to cheer the sad hearts of her bereaved friends and loved ones. She was preeminently Christian in all her actions and character. She is not dead, but sleeping for a little while. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, the Rev. J. D. Haggard.

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**MRS. J. S. COX.**

Irene Slaton was born in Hopkins County, Kentucky, near Madisonville, October, 1857. The home of her grandparents and parents was the home and welcomed meeting-place for the itinerant. She was married first in 1875. As the years passed she was faithful in service and in support of the Methodist Episcopal Church, with which she identified herself early on its return to that territory.

In 1889 she was married to Rev. John S. Cox, one of the "loyal eighteen." Mrs. Cox was a devoted and observant reader of the church papers, was

remarkably well posted in the doctrines, usages, and precedents of our connection, and displayed a rare intelligence in all affairs connected with the Church and spiritual life.

The last several years of her widowed life she spent alone in her own quiet home at Bremen, that she might have the greater opportunity to commune with her books, choice literature, and, above all, with her Heavenly Father. Frailty and infirmity beyond what is common to mortal impeded her life for several years. Yet no caller or friend could doubt but that her faith shined on with an unfaltering ray. Those who knew her best recognized in her character and spirit of the rarest loveliness and purity.

The devoted love that she cherished for her Church and for our Conference was shown in that she determined to leave out of her small estate several hundred dollars to the Preachers' Relief Association. The protracted nature of her last sufferings necessarily reduced this. But the Conference will finally receive funds from this source.

Her last days were spent at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Long, in Greenville, Kentucky.

The end came far from the ministers and members of her own beloved Church. The pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in that city, in Christian charity and courtesy faithfully administered the last sad rites.

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#### ROBERT T. MILLER.

A printed copy of the memoir of Robert T. Miller was presented to each member of the Conference.

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#### BIRD HUGHES.

Bird Hughes, son of Thomas and Rachel Hughes, was born in Atchison County, Mo., March 8, 1855. December 27, 1886, he was gloriously converted. The Lord called him to preach the gospel, and on Sunday, October 2, 1887, he preached his first sermon. He was licensed to preach in the Christian New Light Church.

On February 16, 1890, he united with the Methodist Episcopal Church at McKendree's Chapel, under the pastorate of the Rev. P. H. Ebright. In 1871 he was appointed assistant pastor to Rev. Ebright, on the Germantown Charge, A. Boreing, Presiding Elder. In 1892 he was appointed to the Brinker County Circuit as a supply. In 1893, at the session of the Kentucky Conference held at Hardinsburg, he, with a class of ten, was admitted into the Kentucky Annual Conference on trial. At the session of the Conference held in Union Church, Covington, beginning September 25, 1895, he was admitted into full connection, elected to Deacon's Orders, and on Sunday, September 29, he was ordained by Bishop Cyrus D. Foss. On September 12, 1897, he was ordained an Elder at Pineville by Bishop W. F. Mallalieu.

He served the following charges as pastor: Bracken Circuit, Germantown, Mt. Olivet, Sardis, Tolesboro, and Vanceburg Circuit. At the session of the Conference held at Barbourville, September, 1912, he asked to be placed on the retired list, twenty years of the best part of his life being spent in the active ministry. He passed to his reward from his home in Ewing, Ky., on Thursday night, December 17, 1914.

His reputation was good and his character unspotted. In disposition somewhat retiring, in conscience pure, in love abounding, in judgment merciful, he was a man of pure life, a gracious, gentle, kindly personality that made him a delightful companion, a brother and friend. He was a sound theologian and a faithful pastor. He was tender in his affections and very modest in his demeanor, extremely conscientious, and could not leave a task unfinished however weary might be his body. He was a sweet singer, and loved by all who knew him. He was a loving husband, an affectionate father, and a faithful minister of Jesus Christ, and was held in the highest esteem by all the congregations that he so faithfully served during the twenty years of his ministry.

J. R. HOWES.

## Roll of Our Honored Dead.

The first Conference in Kentucky was held in 1790; but the work in Kentucky was not set apart as the Kentucky Conference till 1821. Meanwhile, death was claiming its own among the preachers. Henry Birchett died in 1794; Francis Acuff, in 1795; Lewis Hunt, in 1801; Learner Blackman, in 1815. The roll since that time is, approximately, as follows:

NAMES.	Born .....	Entered Ministry.	Died .....	NAMES.	Born .....	Entered Ministry.	Died .....
Adams, William, . . .	1785	1813	1835	Harrison, I. F., . . .	1812	1848	1875
Albritton, Adam, . . .	1841	1868	1874	Harrison, J. C., . . .	1809	1830	1878
Bell, Angus, . . . . .	1826	1857	1861	Hayes, J. H., . . . . .	1846	1889	1914
Black, Daniel, . . . . .	1795	1823	1827	Holman, William, . .	1790	1812	1867
Black, W. H., . . . . .	1832	1853	1909	Hill, C. T., . . . . .	1819	1844	1874
Brown, J., . . . . .	1788	1810	1856	Hughes, Bird, . . . . .	.....	.....	.....
Brown, George, . . . .	1771	1818	1823	Humphrey, John A., .	1832	1855	1883
Bennett, Obed, . . . .	1850	1877	1882	Hunt, Absalom, . . .	1773	1815	1844
Blaisdell, Henry R., .	1836	1862	1899	Ingram, W. C. S., . .	1817	1857	1893
Bosley, Elijah M., . .	.....	1834	1839	Jeffries, G. P., . . .	1832	1868	1911
Bruce, John G., . . . .	1810	1831	1891	Keach, John R., . . .	1795	1817	1826
Bristow, James H., . .	1813	1844	1870	Kelley, Greenup, . . .	1806	1827	1830
Callahan, Robert D., .	1807	.....	1901	Kennerly, Philip, . .	1769	1804	1821
Centers, Martin L., . .	1829	1857	1894	Landrum, Francis, . .	1789	1811	1835
Clarke, G. M., . . . . .	1858	1885	1889	Lashbrook, R. D., . .	1822	1852	1897
Cole, Leroy, . . . . .	1749	1777	1830	Lindsey, Marcus, . . .	1786	1809	1833
Colledge, Aaron B., . .	1825	1866	1897	Littlejohn, John, . .	1756	1775	1836
Cook, J. M., . . . . .	1837	1869	1911	Maltbie, W. F., . . .	1836	1877	1905
Corwine, Richard, . . .	1789	1817	1843	Meeks, Peter O., . . .	1815	1838	1841
Cisney, R. A., . . . . .	.....	1868	1873	McHenry, Barnabas, .	1767	1787	1833
Crislip, A. R., . . . . .	1825	1869	1903	McNelly, George, . . .	.....	1814	1839
Cox, John S., . . . . .	1835	1856	1907	McKnight, Wm. B., . .	.....	1829	1834
Davis, E. A., . . . . .	1831	1853	1894	Murphy, Miles D., . .	.....	1873	1885
Davis, Nimrod R., . . .	1814	1867	1879	Newman, Herman, . . .	1816	1837	1885
Denham, John, . . . . .	.....	1820	1843	Ogden, Benjamin, . .	1764	1786	1834
Dills, Nelson, . . . . .	1796	1822	1827	Outton, William, . . .	1814	1833	1835
Decker, John A., . . . .	1808	1828	1844	Parsons, Charles B., .	1805	1839	1871
Duke, Henry S., . . . .	1805	1824	1836	Patrick, Ebenezer, . .	.....	1835	1841
Eads, John R., . . . . .	1829	1851	1891	Pell, Henry Clay, . . .	1825	1855	1868
Ebright, P. H., . . . . .	1840	1882	1912	Perry, Hartwell J., . .	1806	1830	1885
Evans, Hooper, . . . . .	1790	1828	1837	Piersel, L. B., . . . .	1844	1866	1904
Edmunds, Wm. B., . . .	1806	1843	1884	Power, Joseph B., . . .	1802	1826	1833
Elliott, Elias D., . . .	1830	1868	1907	Pullman, Peter, . . . .	.....	.....	1868
Finley, John P., . . . .	1783	1810	1825	Purdom, L. W., . . . .	1873	1898	1901
Fields, Jasper, . . . . .	1847	1886	1909	Ramey, H. J., . . . . .	1837	1865	1914
Fisk, John, . . . . .	1804	1824	1829	Rankin, Thomas, . . .	1796	1827	1881
Fitzgerald, F. P., . . .	1857	1885	1893	Roberts, Edwin, . . .	1816	1836	1841
Foster, Jedediah, . . .	1811	1836	1896	Robinson, Alex., . . .	.....	1834	1841
Fox, Absalom D., . . . .	.....	1825	1838	Ridgell, Joel W., . . .	1815	1846	1868
Flint, Martin, . . . . .	1799	1819	1825	Smith, Charles S., . . .	1839	1885	1897
Furniss, Wm. L., . . . .	1813	1858	1883	Stevenson, Daniel, . .	1823	1851	1897
Gardiner, R. G., . . . .	1806	1832	1888	Stewart, Robert, . . .	.....	.....	1867
Gill, J. C., . . . . .	1835	1877	1891	Taylor, Joshua S., . .	1828	1866	1915
Gibbons, Thomas H., . .	1807	1829	1838	Taylor, Z. M., . . . . .	1815	1840	1885
Gragson, J. B., . . . . .	1832	1867	1875	Thomas, John, . . . . .	1843	1879	1898
Greenup, James L., . . .	1805	1825	1874	Thompson, J. C. C., . .	1812	1835	1882
Gray, David, . . . . .	1791	1819	1823	Turner, Samuel, . . . .	1802	1834	1880
Green, Elihu, . . . . .	1814	1838	1843	Vance, Thomas P., . . .	.....	1829	1835
Gragg, John L., . . . . .	1833	1866	1904	Vandyke, H. S., . . . .	.....	1835	.....
Grinstead, J. P., . . . .	1810	1840	1888	Veach, Samuel, . . . . .	1791	1822	1867
Grider, F., . . . . .	1830	1866	1902	Whiteman, B. F., . . .	1830	1866	1913
Hanford, Thomas, . . . .	1828	1877	1915	Wilson, Oliver M., . .	1867	1895	1897
Hanks, L. P., . . . . .	1859	1886	1899	Wisner, H. S., . . . . .	1847	1887	1887
Hanner, J. Fletcher, . .	1839	1868	1876	Wyatt, William, . . . .	1814	1833	1890
Harber, Obadiah, . . . .	1790	1821	1827	Young, William, . . . .	1798	1820	1825
Harrison, Samuel, . . . .	1782	1808	1834				

## PROCEEDINGS OF Lay Electoral Conference.

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COVINGTON, KY., SEPTEMBER 3, 1915.

The Lay Electoral Conference of the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church was convened pursuant to notice in Scott Street Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Covington, Kentucky, on Friday, September 3, 1915, at 9.15 A. M. The meeting was called to order by Jno. A. Johnson, the secretary of the Lay Electoral Conference held in Newport, Kentucky, in 1911, and appropriately opened with prayer by Mr. John Venn.

The organization was effected by the election of Benjamin Helm, of Bowling Green, President, and Jno. A. Johnson, of Covington, Secretary.

The following Committees were appointed:

Committee on Credentials—R. Pierce, J. W. Childrey, Wright Kelley, A. S. Hines, H. A. Bower.

Committee on Rules and Order of Business—John Venn, A. S. Bennett, W. L. Brown, L. T. McClure, and T. Blair.

Committee on Resolutions—J. R. Coppin, C. E. Haswell, B. P. Hines, W. W. Denton, S. J. Evans.

The Committee on Credentials reported forty-seven delegates present with proper credentials, the names being as follows: Rupert Huntsman, Scottsville; Jas. W. Childrey, East Maysville; R. Pierce, Greenup; Elizabeth C. Archibald, Barbourville Circuit; J. A. Johnson (Union), Covington; Gertrude Black, Barbourville; John Tippet, Asbury; J. B. Kearns, Centerville; R. H. Spurrier, Litchfield; W. G. Story, Bellevue; Benjamin Helm, Bowling Green; F. I. S. Hess (Trinity), Louisville; W. L. Brown, London; Robert W. Huntsman, Beaver Dam; Wright Kelley, Berea; G. W. Jarrell, Turkey; C. E. Haswell, Hardinsburg; B. P. Hines, Somerset; H. A. Bower (Shinkle), Covington; A. S. Bennett, No Creek; J. O. Gross, West Covington; H. B. Burkhart, Harlan Circuit; S. J. Evans (Epworth), Louisville; L. H. Wilson, Newport; W. Nauman, Maysville; Mark Insko, Mount Olivet; L. T. McClure, Louisa; J. R. Wyatt, Woodbine; G. W. Toadvine, Harrison; W. M. Kelley, Harlan; J. R. Coppin (Trinity), Covington; Bert McKibbin, Augusta; A. S. Hines, Arlington; Silas Wesley, Bethel Ridge; John Venn, Ludlow; J. M. Evans, Corinth; George Lusk, Dayton; W. W. Denton, Wallingford; J. T. Blair, Corbin; D. Couch, Science Hill; W. F. Beverly, Nicholasville; W. H. Gilley, Russell; F. W. Points (Main), Covington; John Vase, First Church, Ashland; Mrs. W. D. Hurst, Middlesboro; Charles Clift, Sardis; W. A. Swearingen, Tolesboro.

Committee on Rules and Order of Business reported as follows:

First, This Conference shall be governed by Roberts Rules of Order.  
Second, Order of Business.

(a) Report of Committee on Credentials.

(b) Nomination and election of delegates and reserve delegates. Nominating speeches to be limited to five minutes each. The two delegates to be elected first, afterward the two reserves. Each ballot to contain the names of two candidates until one candidate shall

have received a majority of the votes cast. The reserve delegates to be elected in the same manner.

(c) Report of Committee on Resolutions.

(d) Memorials and any other business that may properly come before the Conference.

Report of the Committee adopted.

Nominations for delegates to the General Conference were made and were as follows:

J. H. Richardson, Maysville; L. T. McClure, Louisa; John Venn, Ludlow; C. B. Nordeman, Louisville; A. M. Decker, Barbourville.

The following Tellers were appointed: L. H. Wilson and Frederick Hess.

The ballot was taken and C. B. Nordeman (26) and A. M. Decker (34) were elected on the first ballot.

Nominations for reserve delegates were made as follows:

John Venn, of Ludlow, and J. H. Richardson, of Maysville.

On motion, nominations closed. On motion, it was resolved that when the ballots were counted, the candidate whose name appeared at the head of the ticket the greatest number of times should be declared the first alternate.

The ballot was taken and John Venn and J. H. Richardson were elected reserve delegates; and as John Venn's name appeared the greatest number of times at the head of the ticket, he was declared the first alternate.

The report of the Committee on Resolutions was read and, after amendment, was adopted as follows:

"Resolved, That inasmuch as the ensuing General Conference will of necessity be an epoch-making Conference because of the momentous question of Church unity that shall come up for consideration, we desire to point to the fact that the Methodist Episcopal Church in Kentucky is possibly more vitally interested in the question of organic union than any other section of Methodism. We in Kentucky feel the burden of a divided Methodism in the waste, the economic waste, of men, money, and energy, and would hail the day of organic union upon a basis consistent with the careful conservation of the rights of our loyal Methodists in this border State.

"Resolved, That we rejoice in the great work that the Temperance Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church has been able to do in bringing in to the dry column a number of our Western States, and we deplore the apparent setback of prohibition interests in Kentucky in the recent primary election.

"Resolved, That we commend the work of the Laymen's Association of this Conference, and hope the time is not far distant when, through the medium of this organization, deficiency columns in Conference Minutes may be blank. We urge all delegates to inspire as many men of their charges as can do so, to attend the annual sessions of the Laymen's Association.

"Resolved, that both laymen and preachers of our Conference should give their best effort to the upbuilding of Union College at Barbourville, and the Robert Callahan School at Louisa. We believe that concerted action of an entire month, the details to be worked out by those in authority, should be given to the interests of these institutions throughout the bounds of this Conference.

Resolved, That we extend to the members of Scott Street Methodist Episcopal Church, South, our sincere thanks for the courteous use of their church in which to hold our session.

"Resolved, That we appreciate more than words can express the kindly spirit in which we have been received and entertained by the Methodists of



Covington, Newport, Bellevue, Dayton, Ludlow, and all way points. We shall never forget the kindly hospitality of our brethren."

The report of the Committee was adopted.

The following resolutions were read and adopted:

"WHEREAS, for the first time in years this Lay Conference does not enjoy the presence of R. T. Miller; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That we bow to the will of Him who doeth all things well, and while we shall miss the counsel and sweet spirit of fellowship of Brother Miller, we desire to express our appreciation of the labors of love of Brother Miller through his personal efforts and by his munificent gifts to the various benevolent enterprises of our Church.

"Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this body."

On motion, the Annual Conference was requested to print the minutes of this meeting in their Annual Conference Minutes.

On motion, meeting adjourned "sine die."

JNO. A. JOHNSON, Secretary.

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### LAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF THE KENTUCKY ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

The seventh annual meeting of the Laymen's Association of the Kentucky Annual Conference was held in Scott Street Methodist Episcopal Church, South, on Friday, September 3. On account of the Lay Electoral Conference meeting during the morning, the meeting of the Association was condensed into the afternoon. The Lay Electoral Conference brought together a larger number of laymen than usual. All officers of the Association excepting Vice-President Harold Means, of the Ashland District, and Treasurer J. P. Shaw, who were kept from attending by reason of poor health, were present and gave reports of the work. A liberal subscription was taken from those present to push the work of the Association the coming year. The work of the Association will be directed more especially to the paying of the pastors better salaries, and in full, the support of Union College at Barbourville, and the increasing of the circulation of the Western Christian Advocate. After the business session was over the Association marched in a body to Union Methodist Episcopal Church, where, with the Annual Conference, they were privileged to hear a magnificent address by Mr. C. A. Bricker, of Columbus, O., on the "Rural Church Problem." No more vital theme could have been selected for the inspiration and enlightenment of our Kentucky Methodists, so many of whom live in the rural districts; and no better authority could have been secured for such an address than Mr. C. A. Bricker, who has made a thorough and exhaustive study of this most difficult problem. May this address do much good is the desire of the Association. The officers of the Association for the coming year are: President, Fred Hess, Louisville, Ky.; Vice-President, Ashland District, E. E. Shannon; Vice-President, Covington District, L. H. Wilson; Vice-President, Lexington District, John A. Creech; Vice-President, Louisville District, C. A. Haswell; Secretary, J. H. Richardson; Treasurer, John Venn.

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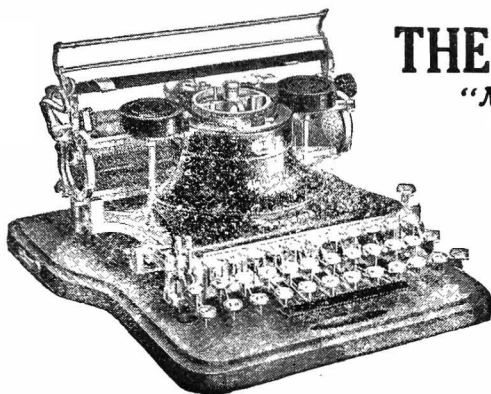
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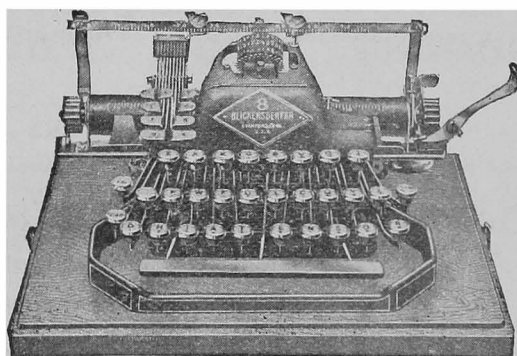
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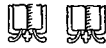
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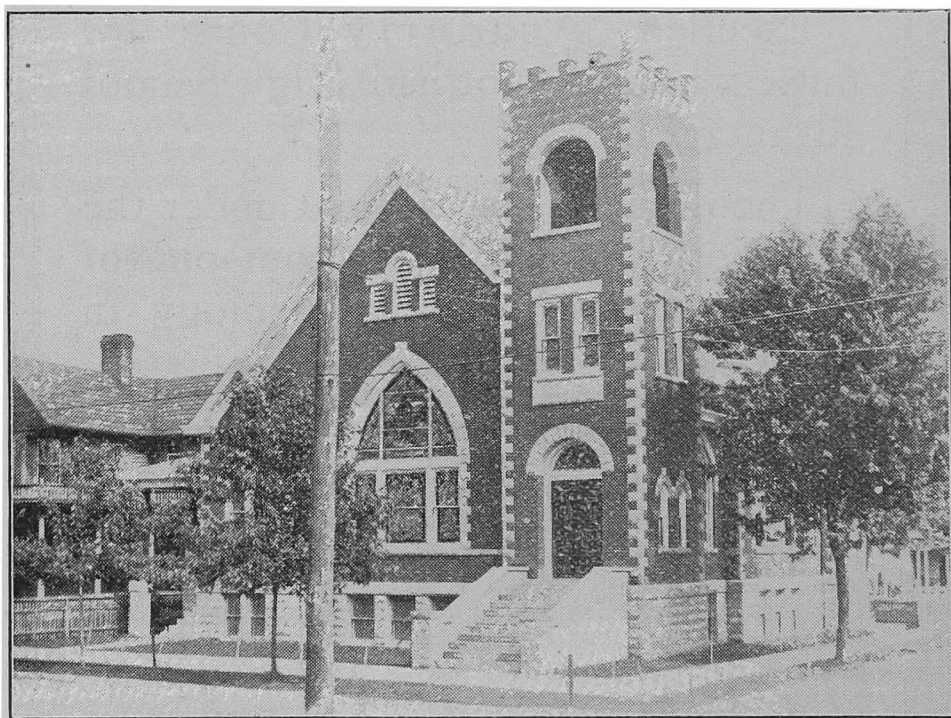
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